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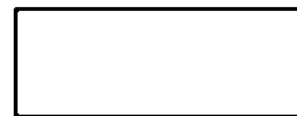
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The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent [redacted] at Salisbury, North Carolina:

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On February 25, 1975, [redacted] Cone Mill, advised that their records reflect that [redacted] white male, date of birth, [redacted] has been employed by their mill [redacted] and is presently so employed. He advised that their records reflect no prior employment, however, the previous address of [redacted] Antioch, and that he had no military service and was [redacted] no city given. He further advised that [redacted] date of birth, [redacted] had been previously employed by them.

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On February 26, 1975, [redacted] Salisbury-Rowan Merchants Association, advised that their records reflect [redacted] Rockwell, North Carolina, [redacted] have been known to them since June 13, 1973, and that they have no prior address or employment and that he is presently employed by Cone Mill.

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On February 26, 1975, [redacted] Salisbury, North Carolina Police Department, and [redacted] Rowan County Sheriff's Office, advised that their records contain no arrest record for [redacted]

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AT ROCKWELL, NORTH CAROLINA

On February 28, 1975, [redacted] was interviewed at his residence and advised that he was not the hijacker in this matter. He stated on November 24, 1971, he was working for the Woodburn Gulf Service Station, 2300 Woodburn, Louisville, Kentucky. He stated that he was working for [redacted] the service station and also [redacted] He stated that [redacted] resides at [redacted] Louisville, Kentucky. [redacted] stated that he was very willing to be photographed and a photograph of him was obtained. The following is a description of [redacted] obtained through observation and interview:

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Sex:
Date of Birth:
Place of Birth:
Height:
Weight:
Hair:
Eyes:
Social Security Number:
Military service:

Selective Service Number:
Education:

Employment:

Previous address:

Marital status:
Prior criminal record:

Father:

Mother:

[redacted]
White
Male

[redacted]
5 feet, 3 inches
145 pounds
Brown
Blue

[redacted]
None
Registered Local Board
4, Columbus, Indiana

[redacted]
Cone Mill, Salisbury,
North Carolina

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Antioch, California

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Columbus, Indiana

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The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent [redacted] at High Point, North Carolina:

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On February 17, 1975, [redacted] High Point, North Carolina, advised that a patient of his whose name is [redacted] High Point, North Carolina, advised him on this date that an individual who resides in Gold Hill, North Carolina, and whose name is [redacted] is identical to unknown subject, DAN B. COOPER, responsible for captioned incident. [redacted] advised [redacted] using the name of COOPER, hijacked an airplane in the mid-west but could provide no other specifics. [redacted] stated [redacted] referred to date November 27, and assumes she is referring to 1974. (It should be noted that captioned matter occurred November 24, 1971).

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The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent [redacted]

AT HIGH POINT, NORTH CAROLINA

On February 19, 1974, [redacted] advised that [redacted] to be rational, and that [redacted] was aware of his intention of furnishing the information in above paragraph to the FBI.

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[redacted] was contacted at her residence, [redacted] She furnished the following information:

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[redacted] who currently receive mail at [redacted] Gold Hill, North Carolina. They are [redacted] who is approximately 30 years of age. He also lives at that address. [redacted]

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Several years ago [redacted] moved into the neighborhood in which [redacted]

[redacted] Approximately two years ago,

No one in the neighborhood seemed to know what had happened [redacted] returned to Gold Hill.

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[redacted] Approximately a week after

[redacted] arrived at Gold Hill [redacted]

[redacted] was previously unknown in the neighborhood.

[redacted] at the Cone Mill in Salisbury. [redacted]

[redacted] home in Rockwell and lived in it, [redacted]

[redacted] stated that [redacted] is a caucasian male, that he appears to be in his 30's, 5 feet 4 inches to five feet six inches, having black or dark brown hair and dark eyes. He is slender, wears glasses, does not have sideburns but has recently started wearing a mustache. [redacted]

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[redacted] has provided no information as to where or when [redacted] nor anything about his background. At one time he advised [redacted] that he was from California. On another occasion he told her his home was in Kentucky.

[redacted] report that he is willing [redacted]

[redacted] mentioned that he [redacted] seemed to have considerable money, but went on to explain she based that feeling on the fact that they seemed to be able to afford such things [redacted] most working people cannot afford. She knew nothing of his cars, except that [redacted] each has a car.

[redacted] observed two pictures (artist sketches, one with glasses and one without glasses) on the front page of the November 27, 1974, edition of the High Point Enterprise, a newspaper. The newspaper article which appeared in connection with the pictures told the story of DAN COOPER and the hijacking of the Northwest Airlines airplane in November, 1971. The article identified the printed pictures

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as sketches of COOPER. [redacted] stated that she immediately felt that the resemblance between the sketches and [redacted] was sufficiently strong enough to suggest to her that [redacted] was the man who had hijacked the plane. She still feels the same way. A larger and clearer copy of the sketch was exhibited to [redacted]. She continues to believe [redacted] could be the hijacker. .

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[redacted] acknowledged that she is concerned

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has expressed her fears and her feeling that [redacted] could be the hijacker [redacted]

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The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent [redacted]

On February 4, 1975, [redacted] Lea Lumber Company, Windsor, North Carolina, advised he is acquainted with [redacted] of the Tri-County Airport, Hertford County, North Carolina. He further stated that he has recently [redacted] and that [redacted] [redacted] during the interview, [redacted] furnished the following information concerning his knowledge of [redacted]

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[redacted] was shown artist conception of the hijacker who used the name DAN COOPER. After studying these photographs, [redacted] advised that these photographs do not bear much resemblance to [redacted] [redacted] advised that [redacted] is a small man, approximately 5 feet 7 inches tall, weighs 135 pounds, in his mid-40's, and is a white male. He advised that [redacted] is a Caucasian and does not have Indian or Negro facial characteristics and is fair complected.

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[redacted] does smoke, however, [redacted] does not know which brand or what hand he smokes with. He believes that he does consume alcoholic beverages because of past references of same made during conversations. He knows that [redacted] was in the military service and [redacted] and that he was in Vietnam and is currently retired from the military service. [redacted] operates the Tri-County Airport in Hertford County, North Carolina, and [redacted]

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[redacted] at this Tri-County Airport. In conversation with [redacted] has said several times that [redacted]

To the knowledge of [redacted] has not [redacted] area of the Tri-County Airport, and has [redacted]

He knows that [redacted]

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[redacted] described [redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted] He advised that he does [redacted]
[redacted] His accent is somewhat regional leading
[redacted] to believe that he may originally be from this
general area. [redacted] dresses casually, usually with a
[redacted]
[redacted] is a flying enthusiast and this is the topic of most
of his conversations. [redacted] voice is medium pitched,
and not low.

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Records of the Department of Motor Vehicles, North
Carolina, as checked through the Police Information Network (PIN)
System, Elizabeth City, North Carolina, reflect the following
for [redacted]

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Address	Woodland, North Carolina
North Carolina license	
Number	[redacted]
Sex	Male
Race	White
Date of Birth	[redacted]
Date operator's	[redacted]
license issued	[redacted]
Date operator's	[redacted]
license expires	[redacted]

On February 4, 1975, [redacted]
[redacted] Hertford County, Winton, North Carolina, advised
that [redacted] contains
a copy of military discharge, recorded in the book on
[redacted] His service
number [redacted] his Social Security Number is
[redacted] and he was in the United States Army and
held the rank [redacted]
[redacted] of service, honorable discharge, on [redacted]
[redacted] His date of birth is shown as [redacted]
[redacted] His home of record at the
time of entry into the military service was [redacted]
Norfolk, Virginia. His specialty number and title were
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This record continues by recording decorations, medals, badges, etc., and is as follows:



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His permanent address was shown as [redacted]
[redacted] Woodland, North Carolina.

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On March 13, 1975, [redacted]
Aulander, North Carolina, advised as follows:

[redacted] stated that he is acquainted with [redacted] Tri-County Airport, Hertford County, North Carolina. [redacted] advised he, himself, is retired from the Federal Aviation Administration, having spent most of his career in Alaska, and retired to the Hertford County area approximately three years ago. [redacted] to the Tri-County Airport. [redacted] was shown photographs of artist conception of the hijacker, which occurred on November 27, 1971, and who gave the name of DAN COOPER. Upon observing these artist conceptions, [redacted] advised that they do not look like [redacted]

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[redacted] noted that [redacted] is a small man, being approximately 5 feet 6 inches or 5 feet 7 inches tall, small build and weighing approximately 130 - 140 pounds. His hair appears to have been brown but is turning gray and is receding at his forehead. [redacted]

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advised that he has had a number of conversations with [redacted] During this time he has learned that [redacted] has [redacted] near the airport and that this [redacted] He also [redacted] [redacted] believes that [redacted] has been having some financial difficulty as he has frequently commented that [redacted] [redacted] advised that [redacted] voice is a medium pitched voice and that he has apparently a regional accent. He [redacted] [redacted] advised that [redacted] appearance does not indicate any Latin or Indian characteristics.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : SAC, CHARLOTTE (164-101) (RUC)

SUBJECT: NORJAK

(OO: SEATTLE)

DATE: 3/20/75

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Re Norfolk airtel to Charlotte dated 1/16/75.

Enclosed for the Seattle Office are two copies each of three investigative inserts.

ADMINISTRATIVE

On 1/30/75, a non-symbol source was contacted and advised he did not personally know [redacted] however, he did know he resided in Aulander, N. C. He advised that [redacted] the Tri-County Airport, Hertford County, N. C. [redacted] of Lea Lumber Company, Windsor, N. C.

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A second non-symbol source advised on 2/10/75, that he occasionally sees [redacted] at the Tri-County Airport, Hertford County, N. C. He advised he knows [redacted] [redacted] name not known, who is believed to reside in Woodland, N. C. This non-symbol source observed artist conception of the hijacker and advised he noted some likeness between these artist conceptions and [redacted] He described [redacted] as retired from the U. S. Military Service; white male; in his late 40's; approximately 5 feet 8 inches - 5 feet 9 inches; small, slender build; black hair; fair complexion.

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In view of the information contained in the enclosed investigative inserts, no additional investigation will be conducted by the Charlotte Office regarding [redacted]

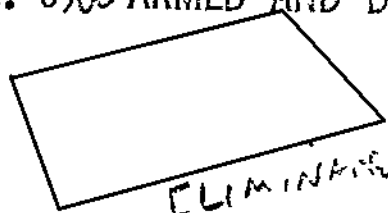
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NON-SYMBOL SOURCE

Source contacted on 1/30/75, is identified as [redacted]
[redacted] Aulander, N. C.

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Source contacted on 2/10/75, is identified as [redacted]
[redacted] Aulander, N. C., [redacted]

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The following investigation was conducted by SA

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AT BLACKFOOT AND FIRTH, IDAHO

On March 11, 1975, a check was made with the Division of Motor Vehicles, Boise, Idaho, and it was determined that [Redacted] has an Idaho drivers license and is described as follows:

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Race	White
Sex	Male
Date of Birth	[Redacted]
Hair	Brown
Eyes	Brown
Height	6' 1"
Weight	165#

On March 11, 1975, [Redacted] Bingham County Sheriff's Office; and [Redacted] Bingham County, both observed the artist's conception drawings of DAN COOPER and stated that they did not feel the drawing was identical to or resembled [Redacted]

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On March 12, 1975, AUSTIN BROWER, Mayor, Firth, observed a drawing of the artist's conception of DAN COOPER. He stated he has known [Redacted] to be a resident of that city practically all of his life and he does not feel that the drawing resembles [Redacted]

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On March 13, 1975, [Redacted] Firth, [Redacted] advised that he had known [Redacted] ever since [Redacted]. He observed a drawing of the artist's conception of DAN COOPER and stated that, in his opinion, the drawing did not resemble [Redacted]

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On March 19, 1975, [Redacted] was contacted at his place of employment, Blackfoot Equipment Company, 691 Northwest Main, Blackfoot, Idaho. He advised that he has worked at that company since September 2, 1962, [Redacted]

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He stated that before working for the Blackfoot Equipment Company he worked for O. K. Tire Center, 1900 North Yellowstone, Idaho Falls, Idaho, for three years. [] was shown a drawing of the artist's conception of DAN COOPER. He viewed the drawing and stated that it did not remind him of anyone he knows. He stated that he does not fly in airplanes any more than he has to, as he is uneasy flying. He stated he has never jumped in a parachute.

[] was asked if he thought the drawing resembled him and he advised that he did not think it looked like him. He was advised that someone felt he resembled the drawing and this was the reason he was being interviewed.

[] was extremely cooperative and stated that he would do whatever he could to help in the matter and furnished the following description of himself:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Nationality	American
Date of Birth	[]
Place of Birth	[]
Height	6'
Weight	190#
Eyes	Brown
Hair	Dark brown

He stated that in his personal opinion he did not take any time off in November, 1971, but pointed out that this could be checked with [] Blackfoot Equipment Company.

On March 19, 1975, [] Blackfoot Equipment Company, checked the records of attendance and vacation for [] at that company for the year 1971 and this record revealed that [] was off from work one day during November, 1971, and that was the day after Thanksgiving.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA

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On March 13, 1975, [redacted] Firth, [redacted] advised that he had known [redacted] ever since [redacted] He observed a drawing of the artist's conception of DAN COOPER and stated that, in his opinion, the drawing did not resemble [redacted]

On March 19, 1975, [redacted] was contacted at his place of employment, Blackfoot Equipment Company, 691 Northwest Main, Blackfoot, Idaho. He advised that he has worked at that company since September 2, 1962 [redacted]

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : *WOB* SAC, BUTTE (164-26) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: Seattle
BuFile #164-2111

DATE: 3/25/75

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Re Butte letter to Seattle, 1/31/75.

Enclosed are two copies of investigative insert revealing investigation conducted at Blackfoot and Firth, Idaho, by SA [redacted] on 3/11/75.

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SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

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SAC, BUTTE (164-26) (P)

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OO: Seattle
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Re Butte letter to Seattle, 1/31/75.

Enclosed are two copies of investigative insert
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Date: 3/25/75

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TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM: SAC, DENVER (164-98)(P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK

Re Denver airtel to Seattle, 2/10/75.

Enclosed for Seattle for investigative assistance
is one copy of _____ taken during
the year _____

The following investigation was conducted by
SA _____ at Worland, Wyoming:

On 2/24/75, Sheriff JAMES WARILLA, Washakie County
Sheriff's Office, advised he was personally familiar with _____
_____ inasmuch as _____ resided in the
area of Tensleep, Wyoming, from approximately 1970 until the
first of 1975. He further advised _____ did not have a
criminal record; however, he was the type of person who would
commit questionable acts. He advised _____ on occasion.

Sheriff WARILLA stated he could never find anyone who would
_____ He further advised the person knowing most
about _____ would probably be one _____
_____ Worland, Wyoming.

Sheriff WARILLA advised _____ was previously _____

_____ Sheriff WARILLA further stated
that to the best of his knowledge _____ was gone on several

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Approved: RLM
Special Agent in Charge

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occasions during the latter part of 1970; however, he could not recall any of the specifics due to the lapse of time.

On 3/13/75, [redacted] supra (PROTECT), made available [redacted] on an unrecalled date [redacted] advised he would make available [redacted] and furnish any information available to him if his identity would be protected. [redacted] reiterated what Sheriff WARILLA had stated regarding [redacted] In addition, he advised it would not be beneficial to interview [redacted] due to [redacted]

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On 3/13/75, [redacted] advised [redacted] at Tensleep, Wyoming, during the latter part of 1974 and moved to British Columbia, Canada. She advised her [redacted] having been discharged from the service [redacted] She further stated she could not recall his present address; however, she had given it [redacted] Riverton, Wyoming. [redacted] advised she could not furnish any information regarding [redacted] since neither she [redacted] She concluded by stating she had received one letter from [redacted] in which he advised [redacted] in Canada. He additionally commented [redacted]

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At Riverton, Wyoming:

On 3/17/75, [redacted] supra, reluctantly advised that [redacted] was presently residing [redacted] in British Columbia, Canada, and had a mailing address [redacted] British Columbia. No further questions were asked [redacted] due to her reluctance to answer same.

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

Receiving offices should bear in mind not to display the enclosed photograph to persons being familiar with [redacted] or the [redacted] inasmuch as it might compromise [redacted]

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Any leads regarding the Legat at Ottawa are being left to the discretion of the office of origin due to Denver not being familiar with the full extent of the investigation.

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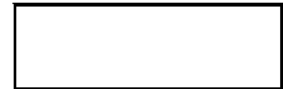
THE DENVER DIVISION:

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gation continues.

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TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-31)
FROM: SAC, DENVER (164-98)(P)
SUBJECT: NORJAN

Re Denver airtel to Seattle, 2/10/75.

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Enclosed for Seattle for investigative assistance is one copy of a [redacted] taken during the year [redacted]

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] at Worland, Wyoming:

On 2/24/75, Sheriff JAMES VARILLA, Washakie County Sheriff's Office, advised he was personally familiar with [redacted] inasmuch as [redacted] resided in the area of Tonsleep, Wyoming, from approximately 1970 until the first of 1975. He further advised [redacted] did not have a criminal record; however, he was the type of person who would commit questionable acts. He advised [redacted] on occasion.

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Sheriff VARILLA stated he could never find anyone who would [redacted]. He further advised the person knowing most about [redacted] would probably be [redacted] [redacted], Worland, Wyoming.

Sheriff VARILLA advised [redacted] was previously [redacted]

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[redacted] Sheriff VARILLA further stated that to the best of his knowledge [redacted] was gone on several

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 3/26/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK
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On 3/20/75, [REDACTED] Kitsap County Sheriff's Office, advised that above named subject, who is currently [REDACTED] as of [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] is a good look-alike of the artist concept of D. B. COOPER. [REDACTED] is described as follows:

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Race:	Caucasian
Sex:	Male
DOB:	[REDACTED]
POB:	[REDACTED]
Height:	5'11"
Weight:	145 lbs.
Hair:	Brown
Eyes:	Blue
Complexion:	Fair
Build:	Medium
Alias:	[REDACTED]

He [REDACTED] in Bellingham, Washington in [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Whatcom County case number [REDACTED] had formerly been [REDACTED] in Cowlitz County following [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Kelso, Washington.

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[REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] was in and around the "drop area" of the D. B. COOPER incident during the periods 1971 through 1973.

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2 - Seattle
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In conclusion, [redacted] made available a [redacted] notice issued by the [redacted] [redacted] pertaining to the subject and [redacted] [redacted] This item has been placed in a 1A envelope for the file.

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LEAD:

SEATTLE DIVISION

At Kelso, Washington

Locate and interview [redacted] regarding knowledge he may have of [redacted] and his whereabouts during November of 1971 and possible information regarding a photograph of the subject during this time, remembering [redacted]
[redacted]

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At Bremerton, Washington

Maintain contact with [redacted] to determine the time and place of subject's [redacted]

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3/26/75

SA [REDACTED]

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NORJAK
INFORMATION PERTAINING TO
[REDACTED]

On 3/20/75, [REDACTED] Kitsap County Sheriff's Office, advised that above named subject, who is currently [REDACTED] as of [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] is a good look-alike of the artist concept of D. B. COOPER. [REDACTED] is described as follows:

Race:	Caucasian
Sex:	Male
DOB:	[REDACTED]
POB:	[REDACTED]
Height:	5'11"
Weight:	145 lbs.
Hair:	Brown
Eyes:	Blue
Complexion:	Fair
Build:	Medium
Alias:	[REDACTED]

He [REDACTED] in Bellingham, Washington in [REDACTED]

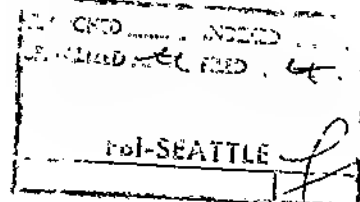
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[REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] was in and around the "drop area" of the D. B. COOPER incident during the periods 1971 through 1973.

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DB Cooper 13412

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 3/26/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK
INFORMATION PERTAINING TO
[REDACTED]

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On 3/20/75, [REDACTED] Kitsap County Sheriff's Office, advised that above named subject, who is currently [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] is a good look-alike of the artist concept of D. B. COOPER. [REDACTED] is described as follows:

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DOB:	[REDACTED]
POB:	[REDACTED]
Height:	5'11"
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Hair:	Brown
Eyes:	Blue
Complexion:	Fair
Build:	Medium
Alias:	[REDACTED]

He [REDACTED] in Bellingham, Washington in [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] Whatcom County case number [REDACTED] had formerly been [REDACTED] in Cowlitz County following [REDACTED] Kelso, Washington.

[REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] was in and around the "drop area" of the D. B. COOPER incident during the periods 1971 through 1973.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 4/1/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: [REDACTED]

Enclosed for the Olympia RA is a copy of serial number 6483 for background information pertaining to [REDACTED]

On 3/27/75, [REDACTED] Bremerton Credit Bureau, Bremerton, Washington advised that the only information they had regarding subject was that he [REDACTED] works for the Washington King Clam Company and lives at [REDACTED] Olympia, Washington. [REDACTED]

LEADS:

SEATTLE DIVISION

At Olympia, Washington.

Conduct appropriate investigation to determine the validity of facts in serial 6483 and attempt to determine subject's exact date of birth, so that a DMV photograph can be obtained for comparison purposes.

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DB Cooper-13416

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 4/1/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: [REDACTED]

Enclosed for the Olympia RA is a copy of
serial number 6483 for background information pertaining
to [REDACTED]

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On 3/27/75, [REDACTED] Bremerton Credit
Bureau, Bremerton, Washington advised that the only
information they had regarding subject was that he
[REDACTED] works for the Washington King
Clam Company and lives at [REDACTED] Olympia,
Washington. [REDACTED]

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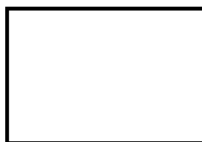
LEADS:

SEATTLE DIVISION

At Olympia, Washington.

Conduct appropriate investigation to determine
the validity of facts in serial 6483 and attempt to determine
subject's exact date of birth, so that a DMV photograph
can be obtained for comparison purposes.

RBF:sra
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NR002 PD PLAIN

8:40PM NITEL APRIL 5, 1975 HHM

TO: SEATTLE (164-81)

OMAHA

FROM: PORTLAND (164-41) (P)

NORJAK, OO: SE.

ON APRIL 4, 1975, [REDACTED] DE WITT, X
IOWA, TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED] TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED
THE PORTLAND DIVISION AND ADVISED THAT SHE HAD BEEN UNABLE TO
MAKE TELEPHONIC CONTACT WITH THE OMAHA OFFICE. SHE STATED THAT
SHE HAS PHOTOS OF A PERSON WHO WAS FORMERLY [REDACTED] AND
WHO RESEMBLES THE ARTIST CONCEPTION OF SUBJECT D. B. COOPER AS
IT APPEARED IN A RECENT ISSUE OF THE CHICAGO TIMES. [REDACTED]
DESIRED TO BE CONTACTED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE SO THAT SHE
COULD MAKE THESE PHOTOS AVAILABLE TO THE FBI.

OMAHA AT DE WITT, IOWA. WILL CONTACT [REDACTED] RE ABOVE.

END

CJW FBI SE CLR

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : SAC, CINCINNATI (164-55) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK

DATE: 4/2/75

Re SL letter to SE, 1/2/75, and CI letter to Bureau, 12/16/74.

Contact with Hideaway Hills Realty Company, 4770 Indianola Ave., Columbus, Ohio, revealed that company is no longer in business.

Contact with Beechwold Realty Company, 4507 North High Street, Columbus, Ohio, revealed that to be

Interviews with [] revealed she had never employed any military personnel from [] and was unfamiliar with the name [] or DAN or DON ; COOPER. [] advised that she had never been associated with Hideaway Hills Realty Company, but stated that she was familiar with [], who had [] Hideaway Hills Realty Company, before it went out of business. [] stated that [] could be contacted at [] Columbus, Ohio, phone number [] X

LEADS:

CINCINNATI

AT COLUMBUS, OHIO

Will contact [] Columbus, Ohio, to determine if he is familiar with (FNU)

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2-Cincinnati

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, [REDACTED] (P)

DATE: 3/26/75

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FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: *Sub J*



Re memos of SC [REDACTED] 2/6/75 and 3/11/75.

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Review of this matter would indicate that neither subject [REDACTED] involved in captioned matter, is identical with Unsub, aka Dan Cooper, the subject of captioned 164 matter. It is to be noted that COOPER is described as being in his mid 40's, 5'10" to 6'0", 170-180 pounds. Subject, [REDACTED] is 6'1", weighs 210 pounds and has very definitely receding hair. His appearance is very distinctive looking and anyone having viewed him would remember him for his large size as well as for the receding nature of his hairline.

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[REDACTED] and therefore, would have been approximately 30 at the time of the hijacking involved in the 164 matter. He was 5'10 1/2", weighed 220 pounds and, according to persons who were acquainted with him, was very distinctive in appearance because of his heavy appearance.

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[REDACTED] was somewhat [REDACTED] according to persons who knew him and he talked considerably about [REDACTED] the money which [REDACTED] which was supposedly buried in Oregon. His story concerning the money was

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that it had been buried by members of [redacted]
[redacted] and that
the money [redacted] this was
his story concerning the money throughout and it
would appear that this is the valid basis for his
story inasmuch as [redacted]
a number of individuals [redacted]
had been involved [redacted]
[redacted] in the Eugene, Oregon area. In
view of the [redacted] it would appear
that if he knew that the money had in fact come from
a hijacking, he would have indicated this.

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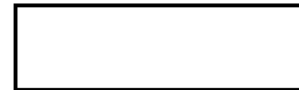
In addition to this, [redacted] was an individual
who spent whatever money he could make and [redacted]
[redacted] He had held num-
erous jobs on a part time basis [redacted]
[redacted] related jobs
and it would appear that if he had in fact knew of the
location of the buried money, he would have obtained
this and spent it in order to improve his life style.

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In view of the above, it does not appear that
either [redacted] is identical with the Unsub
in Norjak (Seattle file 164-81).

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The following investigation was conducted by
SA [redacted] at Oroville, California, on February 10,
1975:

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[redacted] Butte
County Sheriff's Office, advised that their files were
negative with regards to [redacted]

[redacted] Oroville Police
Department, advised that their files were negative with
regards to [redacted]

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[redacted] Oroville Credit
Bureau, advised that their files were negative with
regards to [redacted]

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The following investigation was conducted by
SA [REDACTED]

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AT MERIDIAN, CALIFORNIA:

On March 25, 1975, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] was contacted and was displayed artist's
conception pictures of "D. B. COOPER" with and
without photographs. [REDACTED] said the man she knew
as [REDACTED] closely resembled the sketch of the
man with the sun glasses, especially because of the
narrow chin and lower face, and the broad forehead
and short hair. [REDACTED] said, however, that the
sketch showing the man without the sun glasses did
not remind her near as much of [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] said the only new thing she could
think of concerning [REDACTED] was that he had [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] which he did not use
frequently.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : *[Signature]* SAC, SACRAMENTO (164-50) (RUC)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEattle

DATE: 4/7/75

RE:

Re Sacramento letter to Seattle, 2/3/75; and
Seattle letter to Sacramento, 2/21/75.

Enclosed for Seattle are two copies each of
two inserts reflecting investigation by SA
 at Oroville, California, and of SA
 reflecting investigation at
Meridian, California.

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PLAIN

AIRTEL

AIRMAIL

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (164-2111)
FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)
SUBJECT: HORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

MONTHLY SUMMARY

Re Seattle airtel to Bureau dated 3/7/75.

SUSPECTS

There are currently 759 suspects, 724 of whom have been eliminated. New suspects are being developed and appropriate investigation instituted. No outstanding suspects are under consideration at this time.

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3 - Seattle (164-81)
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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (164-2111)
FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)
SUBJECT: MORDAK
OO: SEATTLE

MONTHLY SUMMARY

Re Seattle airtel to Bureau dated 3/7/75.

SUSPECTS

There are currently 759 suspects, 724 of whom have been eliminated. New suspects are being developed and appropriate investigation instituted. No outstanding suspects are under consideration at this time.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS

2 - Bureau (164-2111)
3 - Seattle (164-81)
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date of transcription September 27, 1974

[redacted]
St. Paul, Minnesota, was advised of the identity of the interviewing Agent as an Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and that the nature of the interview was concerning [redacted] telephone call to the Federal Bureau of Investigation Office concerning one [redacted] who allegedly hi-jacked a Northwest Orient Airlines airplane. [redacted] advised that he had telephonically contacted the FBI in Minneapolis, Minnesota, a few weeks ago in order to make arrangements to meet an Agent concerning information on a [redacted] who hi-jacked an airliner a few years ago by successfully parachuting out of the plane.

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[redacted] advised that he knew of a [redacted] while he was in the [redacted] [redacted] stated that he last saw [redacted] in 1946 at Ft. Bragg, North Carolina.

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[redacted] advised that he was [redacted] and in 1962 he was in Honolulu where he met a white female, [redacted] (last name unknown) [redacted] advised [redacted] that she was going out with one [redacted] who was a paratrooper and from Salt Lake City and who also was employed as [redacted] [redacted] out of San Francisco.

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[redacted] stated that the [redacted] that he knew at Ft. Bragg, North Carolina, was described as follows:

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Name	[redacted]
Sex	Male
Race	White
Height	Six feet
Weight	170 pounds
Hair	Blond
Complexion	Light
Age	Currently should [redacted]

[redacted] advised [redacted] was originally from Salt Lake City, Utah.

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Interviewed on September 26, 1974 St. Paul, Minnesota

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by CA [redacted] jf

Date dictated September 27, 1974

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[] advised that he feels that [] is still employed [] for he still receives newspapers from the "Sailors Union of the Pacific" which is a union newspaper [] whose address is 450 Harrison Street, San Francisco, California. [] stated that a [] name appears in this newspaper occasionally as having something to do with the "Sailors Union of the Pacific."

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[] advised that at the time he called the FBI Office, he stated that he knew of the plan for the hi-jacking, however, stated that by this he meant the plan of [] being a paratrooper and so forth, therefore, could make his escape by jumping out of the plane. [] advised that he had no additional information concerning []

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

DATE: April 7, 1975

FROM : SAC, MINNEAPOLIS (164-73) (RUC)

SUBJECT: NORJAK

Re Minneapolis airtel to Seattle December 13, 1974;
Minneapolis letter to Seattle February 7, 1975; and Anchorage
letter to Seattle March 18, 1975.

Enclosed for Seattle are two copies of an FD-302
regarding interview of [redacted] on September 26, 1974.

For information of Seattle [redacted]
[redacted] St. Paul, Minnesota, telephonically contacted the
Minneapolis Division of the FBI in an inebriated state at
3 a.m. on August 29, 1974, and advised he was in [redacted]
[redacted] who he advised was responsible
for hijacking captioned plane. [redacted] advised he wanted to
see an Agent immediately and that he would tell the Agent where
[redacted] was and how he planned to hijack the plane. [redacted]
recontacted the Minneapolis Office at 5:30 a.m. on the same
date and stated he did not even know if the [redacted] he knew
was involved in the hijacking and asked the FBI not to send
anyone to see him and to remove his name from the records.

On March 18, 1975, and April 3, 1975, a contact with
[redacted] Northwest Orient Airlines,
was negative concerning any additional information regarding
the hijacking. [redacted] advised he had not received any additional
communications from [redacted] Phoenix, Arizona, regarding
[redacted]

The Minneapolis Division is conducting no further
investigation.

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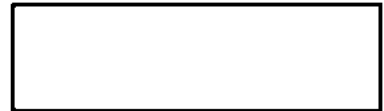


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TO : SAC, COLUMBIA (164-48)
FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)
SUBJECT: MURKIN
OO: SEATTLE
BUFILE 164-2111

RE: 

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Re Seattle report of SA  dated 5/30/73.

Enclosed for Columbia is one copy of suspects photograph, front and side views. One copy each of artist's composite of unsub with and without sunglasses, black and white and color.

 is considered a suspect in this matter because he resembles the artist's composite of unsub and he has parachute training in the United States Army airborne unit.  whereabouts on 11/24/71 have not been established, however the following information concerning him was obtained through review 

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Name:	
Sex:	Male
Race:	Caucasian
Height:	6'
Weight:	148 - 160 lbs.
Hair:	Brown
Eyes:	Brown

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- 2 - St. Louis (164-63)
- 3 - Seattle (164-81)

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SE 164-81

Date of Birth:
Place of Birth:
Social Security
Account Number:

[REDACTED]

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FBI Number:
U.S. Army
Serial Number

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Military Service:

U.S. Army

[REDACTED]

Employment:

[REDACTED]

Greenville, South Carolina

[REDACTED]

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Island Park, South Carolina
Parks and Recreation Dept.

Relatives:

[REDACTED]

Tacoma, Washington

parents;

[REDACTED]

Greenville, South Carolina

Sister:

[REDACTED]

Greenville, South Carolina

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Brother:

[REDACTED]

Clemson, South Carolina

[REDACTED]

South Carolina

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Former marriages:

[Redacted]

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[Redacted]

Prior to conducting leads, referenced report should be reviewed.

LEADS:

COLUMBIA DIVISION

At Clemson, South Carolina

Will locate and interview suspects [Redacted] to determine (a) back ground information and location of suspect on 11/24/71 (b) [Redacted] set out lead to have her interviewed.

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Note [Redacted]

[Redacted]

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At Columbia and Spartanburg, South Carolina

Will, if appropriate, conduct neighborhood investigations at suspects former residences, [Redacted] Spartanburg and [Redacted] Columbia to determine back-ground information on suspect and location on 11/24/71.

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ST. LOUIS DIVISION

At St. Louis, Missouri

Will obtain and forward to Seattle one copy of suspect's service record.

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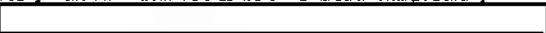

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FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)
SUBJECT: MURKIN
OO: SEATTLE
BUFILE 164-2111

RE: 


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3 - Seattle (164-81)
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

DATE: 4/10/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJACK

RE: [REDACTED]

On 4/4/75, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Washington, advised that [REDACTED] bore a close resemblance to the FBI artist conception of UNSUB in NORJACK. [REDACTED] stated that a review of [REDACTED] file reveals he was a [REDACTED] in the U.S. Army and physical characteristics fit those of UNSUB. [REDACTED] also advised that [REDACTED] was picked up on [REDACTED] and indications were that [REDACTED]

On 4/7/75, [REDACTED] file was reviewed and photographs obtained and provided case Agent. Investigation continuing at Tacoma, Washington.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date of transcription 4/3/75

[redacted] advised as follows relevant to the true identity of passenger DAN COOPER, who hijacked a Northwest Airlines flight in 1971:

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The informant's source for this information is [redacted] which has [redacted] address of Wasilla, Alaska.

[redacted]
information from JUNE HANSON.

JUNE HANSON was killed in an auto accident April, 1973, at Anchorage, Alaska. She had been employed in the Retarded Children's Ward at Nurse's Hospital, Anchorage, Alaska. JUNE HANSON [redacted]

[redacted] JUNE HANSON lived [redacted] (Last Name Unknown). She dated [redacted]

[redacted] hijacked the plane in question. He was [redacted] name unknown. [redacted]

[redacted] It is not known if they are or are not airline pilots. They originated in a town in Montana. This town, name unknown, is located near Interstate Highway 90, between Billings and Butte, Montana. [redacted] was living in Nevada at the time of the hijacking.

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File #	164-81-6521

Interviewed on 4/2/75 at Fort Lauderdale, Florida

by SA [redacted] Date dictated 4/3/75

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Date: 4/3/75

Transmit the following in _____
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TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)
 FROM: SAC, MIAMI (164-552) (P)
 SUBJECT: NORJAK

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There are enclosed for Seattle, Oklahoma City, and Anchorage, one copy each of FD-302 reporting results of interview of _____

The informant is _____ The informant has _____ care must be taken to protect the source. _____

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_____ is currently traveling in the United States and is not expected to return to Alaska for three weeks.

LEADSALL RECEIVING OFFICES

Unless advised to contrary by Seattle, the following leads will be covered:

ANCHORAGEAT ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

1. Will confirm JUNE HANSON existed and will identify and interview former associates at Nurse's Hospital regarding _____

- ② - Seattle (Enc. 1)
 ② - Anchorage (Enc. 1)
 2 - Oklahoma City (Enc. 1)
 3 - Miami (2 - 164-552)

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Approved: _____
 Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

MM 164-552

2. Will interview [REDACTED]

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OKLAHOMA CITY

AT OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA

Will at FAA. review name file for [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] who were born in Montana.

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SEATTLE

AT SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

Will evaluate information and advise Miami in order that appropriate remuneration may be determined for informant.

MIAMI

AT MIAMI, FLORIDA

Will maintain contact with [REDACTED]

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20537

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Notations indicated by * are NOT based on fingerprints in FBI files but are listed only as investigative leads as being possibly identical with subject of this record.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
IDENTIFICATION DIVISION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20537

4-9-75

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The following information from FBI record, NUMBER
is furnished FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY.

Description and Related Data:

Race: W

Sex: M

Height: 72

Weight: 195

Hair: Brn

Eyes: Blu

Date and Place of Birth:

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Scars and Marks: Unknown

Address:

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Occupation:

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Social Security Number: Unknown

Since neither first nor last name
identifies the number which is indexed
in our files accompanied your request.
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that this material concerns the
individual in whom you are interested.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) DATE: 4/15/75

FROM : *BW* SAC, KANSAS CITY (164-80) -RUC-

SUBJECT: NORJAK [REDACTED]
OO SEATTLE

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RE: [REDACTED]

Re Kansas City airtel to the Bureau and Seattle dated 2/11/75, and Seattle airtel to Kansas City, 3/14/75.

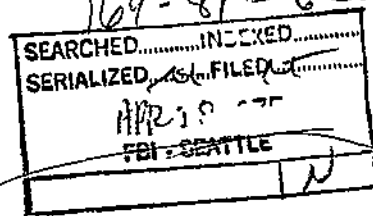
Review of employment application of [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] SSAN [REDACTED] at the Kansas City Star on [REDACTED]
reflects that [REDACTED] for the period of [REDACTED] claimed
employment as [REDACTED]
FBI identification record number [REDACTED] reflects that
[REDACTED] was received at [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] was [REDACTED] at Los Angeles,
California, on [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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Inasmuch as [REDACTED] on 11/24/71,
no further investigation being conducted by Kansas City.

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② Seattle
1 Kansas City
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DB Cooper-13446

INSTRUCTIONS

1. This form may be submitted in legible hand printing.
2. Use separate form for each individual on whom record is requested.
3. Make effort to furnish FBI identification number, law enforcement identification number, or military service number.
4. Furnish descriptive data and fingerprint classification only when FBI number not available.
5. Indicate office for reply in lower right corner only. Also list in lower right corner all offices which should receive copies of available records. Include carbon of FD-9 for each office receiving copies and forward with original to Bureau.
6. Do not fill in block in lower left corner.

To: DIRECTOR, FBI Attention: Identification Division

Date 4/4/75

Re
NORJAK
OO: Seattle

Field File No. KC 164-80

Furnish The Known Identification Record of the Following:

Name [redacted] FBI No. [redacted]
Other No. SSAN [redacted]

Aliases [redacted]

Sex Male Race White Birth Date [redacted] Residence [redacted]

Height 6' Weight 225 Build [redacted] Hair BR Eyes BR Complexion [redacted] Age [redacted]

Fingerprint Classification

Scars, marks and tattoos

Also Furnish:

- ☐ Photo
☐ Fingerprints
☐ Handwriting Specimens

Identification Division's Reply 4/9/75

☐ On basis of information furnished, unable to identify:

☒ Criminal Files ☐ Civil Files ☐ All Files

☒ Record Attached

☐ Photo Attached

☐ Photo Not Available

☐ Fingerprints Attached

☐ Handwriting Specimen Attached

Return Reply to:

SAC, KANSAS CITY (164-80)

Send Copies To:

SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

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Date: 4/17/75

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(Priority)

TO : SAC, ANCHORAGE (164-59)

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAX
OO: SEATTLE
BUfile 164-2111

RE:

Re Miami airtel to Seattle, Anchorage and Oklahoma City, 4/3/75, Seattle report of SA dated 5/30/73.

For the information of the Anchorage Division, there is no indication that unsub had any partners including a stewardess in perpetrating this crime. As there is not enough information contained in referenced airtel to make a meaningful evaluation, Anchorage is requested to conduct the investigation specified in referenced airtel. Prior to conducting any investigation the agent covering the lead at Anchorage should thoroughly review referenced report.

It is noted that in order for Oklahoma City to be able to cover the lead at Oklahoma City, they would need more descriptive data.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

- 2 - Anchorage (164-59)
- 2 - Miami (164-552)
- 2 - Oklahoma City (164-56)
- ② - Seattle (164-81)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

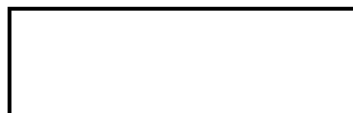
TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : *REL* SAC, PHOENIX (164-100) (RUC)

SUBJECT: NORJAK

OO: SE
Bufile: 164-2111



DATE: 4-15-75



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ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

Re Phoenix letter to Seattle, 2-27-75.

Continued contact with retired Agent 
 of the Phoenix Division, 6710 East Camelback
Road, Phoenix, Arizona, has not resulted in any
additional information from his source regarding captioned
matter.

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In view of the fact all logical investigation has
been completed in the Phoenix Division, this matter is
considered RUC.



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1 - Phoenix

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SAC, DETROIT

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SAC, MILWAUKEE (164-36) (RUC)

UNSUB, aka
Dan Cooper;
NORTHWEST AIRLINES FLIGHT 350
PORTLAND, OREGON, TO
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON
11/24/71
CAA - HIJACKING; EXTORTION

OO: SEATTLE

Enclosed for Detroit are six photographs of a man furnished to the Superior Resident Agency, Milwaukee Division, by [redacted] Special Investigation Bureau, Ashland, Wisconsin. [redacted] telephone numbers [redacted] which he stated he obtained from [redacted] Ironwood, Michigan. [redacted] indicated that the man in the photographs resembles COOPER in instant case. He had no further information.

LEAD

DETROIT DIVISION

AT IRONWOOD, MICHIGAN

Will contact [redacted] for further information regarding this matter.

2- Detroit (ENC. 6)
1- Seattle (164-81)
1- Milwaukee
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DB Cooper-13450

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

DATE: 4/13/75

FROM : SAC, [REDACTED] *WUC*

SUBJECT: CR. AK

OO: SEATTLE

Re Portland airtel to Seattle and Omaha, 4/5/75,
and Omaha telephone call to Seattle, 4/7/75.

Enclosed for Seattle are [REDACTED]
each having [REDACTED]
which were taken in 1964, and reprinted in 1974.

Also enclosed is a copy of Chicago Tribune article
from issue dated November 20, 1974.

[REDACTED] De Witt, Iowa, confidentially
advised [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] and which period ended about December of
1969. She said [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] all believe she

She requested the [REDACTED] and newspaper article
be returned to her when no longer of value in this matter.

2 - Seattle (Enc. 4) (C)

2 - Omaha

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

DATE: 4/21/75

FROM : SAC, OKLAHOMA CITY (164-56)(RUC)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: Seattle

Re Miami airtel to Seattle, 4/3/75; Seattle airtel to Anchorage, 4/17/75.

On 4/16/75, computerized records of the FAA, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, were checked for [redacted] In view of age information re UNSUB, this check was restricted to those born between [redacted] Microfilm records were then checked for those [redacted] The following were identified as [redacted]

[redacted]
SSAN [redacted] 6', 185 pounds, brown hair, blue eyes, address as of 1/20/75 [redacted]

[redacted]
SSAN [redacted] 6'1", 227 pounds, brown hair, green eyes, address as of 3/19/74 [redacted]

In view of Seattle airtel of 4/17/75, no leads re the above individuals are being set forth. Further, any additional leads of this nature should be carefully considered as the review of microfilm information re numerous individuals is very time consuming for FAA employees.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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1-Oklahoma City
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

DATE: 4/23/75

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (164-497) (RUC)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: Seattle

Re Los Angeles airtel to Seattle 12/23/74.

A review of files in Los Angeles concerning this case disclose no outstanding leads for the Los Angeles Division and this matter is being RUC'd.

If any information concerning this matter comes to the attention of the Los Angeles Division, Seattle will be promptly advised.

② - Seattle
① - Los Angeles

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: May 1, 1975

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: [redacted]

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Re Seattle memo of SA [redacted] 4/1/75.

On 4/18/75, Officer [redacted] Olympia, Washington Police Department, advised his records reflect that [redacted] Olympia, Washington, had [redacted] as follows:

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He is described as follows:

Sex:	Male
Race:	White
DOB:	[redacted]
POB:	[redacted]
Height:	5'11"
Weight:	175
Hair:	Red
Eyes:	Blue

Officer [redacted] furnished a photograph of [redacted] which was placed in 1A.

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Officer [redacted] further advised that he personally recalls [redacted] since during August, 1970. [redacted]

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He further stated [redacted] hair is an auburn color. He knew nothing else concerning his background other than the fact that he was employed with some clam processing company.

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② - Seattle (164-81)

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(2) [redacted]



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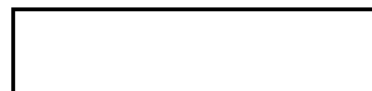
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The above description and photograph are being furnished for comparison of that with unknown subject. however should additional information concerning [redacted] be necessary to eliminate him, it would appear logical that his [redacted]

[redacted] Paulsbo, Washington, be interviewed concerning [redacted] whereabouts at the time of the hijacking.

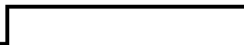
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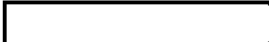

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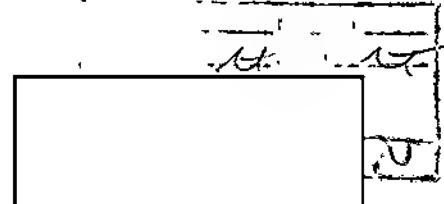
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Re: 

The above-captioned  was formerly
carried as "UNKNOWN SUBJECT CONCERNING WHOM 
IS ALLEGEDLY KNOWLEDGEABLE".

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date of transcription 4/23/75

[redacted] Kenai, Alaska, telephone number [redacted] was contacted at Falcon Aviation, Inc., Kenai Airport, telephone number 283-7657, where he is employed [redacted]

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[redacted] said that approximately four or five years ago he was employed [redacted] at Coast Air, Ketchikan, Alaska. An individual by the name of [redacted] was hired off the street by Coast Air [redacted] and eventually worked [redacted] Worked for Coast Air about nine months and [redacted] to take a position [redacted] Anchorage, Alaska; and [redacted] left Ketchikan via air for Seattle, Washington, talking of going to Canada [redacted] The departure of [redacted] from Ketchikan preceded the hijacking of Northwest Orient Airlines flight number 305 on November 24, 1971.

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[redacted] is a white male, who would be approximately 30 years old at the present time, 5 feet 11 inches tall, slim build, 160-170 pounds, dark brown hair worn slightly below the collar, clean-shaven, and dark eyes. [redacted] was single and claimed to be an Army veteran of Vietnam where he had served [redacted] purported to have had experience as a parachutist and was a very intelligent person who seemed to know a great deal about many different subjects and who possessed a [redacted] While in Ketchikan, [redacted] associated with the [redacted] [redacted] claimed to have previously visited northern Alaska cities, such as Bethel and Kotzebue.

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[redacted] said he could furnish no further information regarding [redacted] background, relatives, or associates.

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[redacted] said that about two months after the aforesaid hijacking, [redacted] at Vancouver, British Columbia, addressed [redacted] at Coast Air and forwarded [redacted] [redacted] said.

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Interviewed on 4/15/75 at Kenai, Alaska File # AN 164-59

SA [redacted] sag Date dictated 4/18/75

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[redacted] said he recognized the writing as that [redacted]
[redacted] This is the only communication he has received from
[redacted] since [redacted] left Coast Air and he has no information
concerning [redacted] present whereabouts. In his opinion,
[redacted] was capable of pulling off a caper like the Northwest
Orient flight 305 hijacking.

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[redacted] said that [redacted]
[redacted] was also employed at Coast Air at the same time
[redacted] may possibly know something about
[redacted] background or present whereabouts.

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Date: 5/2/75

Transmit the following in _____
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(Priority)

TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) [REDACTED]
FROM: SAC, ANCHORAGE (164-59) (P)
SUBJECT: NORJAK
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b7CARMED AND DANGEROUS.

Re Anchorage airtel to Seattle, 3/18/75.

Enclosed for the Seattle Division are two copies
and for Minneapolis one copy of a FD-302 reflecting the
interview of [REDACTED]

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An information copy of this communication is
furnished the Minneapolis Division in view of their investi-
gative interest.

ANCHORAGEAT KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

Will attempt to locate the personnel records and/or
former owners of Coast Air and will obtain all available
background information concerning [REDACTED] and his present
whereabouts.

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2-Seattle (Enc. 2) [initials]
1-Minneapolis (164-73) (Enc. 1) (Info)
2-Anchorage
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AN 164-59

AT ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

1. Will interview [redacted]
[redacted], for all background information concern-
ing [redacted] and his whereabouts.

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2. Will furnish Seattle Division results of
investigation conducted in this matter.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date of transcription 5/11/75

[redacted]
 Denver, telephone number [redacted] was displayed a photograph of [redacted] stated [redacted] bore a "good" resemblance to the individual who skyjacked the Northwest Orient plane. She stated due to the length of time that has passed since the skyjacking, she could not positively state whether [redacted] was this individual, but noted part of her problem was due to the haziness of the photograph. She stated the receding hairline and the ears of [redacted] appeared to be identical, but she was somewhat troubled by the roundness of the face and the broadness of the nose.

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Interviewed on 4/29/75 at Denver, Colorado File # 164-81-6534 DN 104-98

by SA [redacted] sls

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 Date dictated 4/30/75

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of your agency:

★ U.S. GPO: 1974-555-294

DB Cooper 13461

FBI

Date: 5/1/75

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL, REGISTERED
(Priority)

TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM: SAC, DENVER (164-98) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK

[Redacted]

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(302 ONLY)

Re Denver airtel to Seattle, dated 2/10/75, and
Denver airtel to Seattle, dated 3/25/75.

Enclosed for Seattle are nine copies of an FD-302
reflecting an interview of [Redacted]
[Redacted] Denver.

For the information of Seattle, on 4/29/75, [Redacted]
[Redacted] was displayed the 1969 photograph of [Redacted]
[Redacted] advised there was a "good" resemblance to the
individual who had skyjacked the Northwest Orient flight, but
she was somewhat disturbed by the broadness of [Redacted] nose.
[Redacted] requested she be allowed to review her original state-
ment made to the FBI.

LEADS:

SEATTLE DIVISION

At Seattle, Washington:

Will furnish the Denver Division copies of the inter-
view of [Redacted] so she may review this matter.

DENVER DIVISION

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At Riverton, Wyoming:

1) Will recontact [Redacted] and obtain all background
information regarding [Redacted] for the
past seven years. Will specifically determine where [Redacted]
resided prior to his returning, so leads may be set forth to
obtain Drivers License photographs of [Redacted]

2 - Seattle (Enc. 9) (AM, RM) [Redacted]
2 - Denver

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Approved: [Redacted]

Special Agent in Charge

Sent [Redacted]

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DN 164-98

2) Will display Wyoming Drivers License in the name
[redacted] which does not appear identical to
[redacted] for the purpose of elimination.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 4/28/75

FROM : SA THOMAS J. MANNING

SUBJECT: NORJAK
INFORMATION RELATING TO

Re memo of SA [redacted] 3/26/75

On 4/28/75 [redacted] Cowlitz County, [redacted] advised that he recalls the subject as man

he had under supervision and stated that he feels, from what he has seen of a composite photograph of the NORJAK subject that [redacted] does bear a resemblance. However he stated that the records of [redacted] have been sent to his Central office located in the Capitol Center Building, Olympia, Washington. Perhaps the records at the Central office would reflect the subject's location at time of NORJAK incident. He stated his only reference to the subject is that [redacted] to Cowlitz County, Washington in [redacted] [redacted] and was eventually located in the state of Indiana, returned to Washington by the Cowlitz County SO and [redacted] When he left this area he came back about two months later and [redacted] to Pocatello, Idaho and then [redacted] in Portland, Oregon and [redacted] recalled was working at Tektronics in that city when he last heard about her.

[redacted] did recall that when the subject [redacted] he did secure a job at the Mazda garage in Longview, Washington as [redacted] but quit suddenly and started [redacted] he met in Portland and lived at [redacted] in Castle Rock, Washington. As [redacted] recalled he was then [redacted] in Portland but [redacted] and this cause him problems.

[redacted] also stated there was a picture of [redacted] in the file at Central Headquarters and as he recalls he had light brown hair which was receding on the temples, blue eyes and a fair complexion. Further information may be secured from that file.

AT OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON

Cause review of file of subject at [redacted] Capitol Center Building, Olympia to determine whether his location at time of NORJAK can be determined and whether information therein re his being in drop zone of NORJAK.

(SERIAL 164-81-6508 to accompany this lead)

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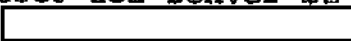
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FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)
SUBJECT : NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
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Re Denver airtel to Seattle, 5/1/75.

Enclosed for Denver is one copy of FD 302 reflecting interview with  reflecting interview immediately after captioned hijacking.

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AIRMAIL

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (164-2111)
FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)
SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

July 0

MONTHLY SUMMARY

Re Seattle airtel to the Bureau dated April 9, 1975.

SUSPECTS

There are currently 763 suspects, 726 of whom have been eliminated. New suspects are being developed and appropriate investigation instituted. No outstanding suspects are under consideration at this time.

MISCELLANEOUS

Seattle is currently preparing a report to be completed by the end of this month.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (164-2111)
FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (164-61) (P)
SUBJECT: MORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

June 0

MONTHLY SUMMARY

Re Seattle airtel to the Bureau dated April 9, 1975.

SUSPECTS

There are currently 763 suspects, 726 of whom have been eliminated. New suspects are being developed and appropriate investigation instituted. No outstanding suspects are under consideration at this time.

MISCELLANEOUS

Seattle is currently preparing a report to be completed by the end of this month.

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Date: 5/7/75

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority)TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM: SAC, KNOXVILLE (164-35) (RUC)NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
Bufile 164-2111

Re Columbia airtel 4/21/75.

RE: [REDACTED]

A thorough review of [REDACTED] entitled [REDACTED] reveals this investigation was instituted on [REDACTED] when it was reported that an individual using the name [REDACTED] contacted a number of individuals in the Southeast Tennessee area claiming to be a Federal Agent from the Department of Justice assigned to the South Carolina District and claiming to be conducting an investigation concerning political corruption. UNSUB was later identified as [REDACTED]. He was subsequently charged with and pleaded guilty to violation of Title 18, Section 912, U. S. Code, and was sentenced to one year.

In connection with efforts to identify and locate [REDACTED] Charlotte conducted investigation on 9/5/73, at which time [REDACTED] Tryon Motors, Tryon, North Carolina, advised he sold a 1972 Ford Bronco station wagon, white and

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at [REDACTED]

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turquoise in color. [redacted]
[redacted] Columbus, North
Carolina, on 3/29/72. [redacted] advised that at that time
[redacted] was working for the State Highway Department.

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On the same date [redacted] State Highway
Department, Columbus, N.C., advised that [redacted]
[redacted] had worked [redacted]
[redacted] Highway Department in Columbus, from 12/28/71.
until 5/12/72. [redacted] stated [redacted] left [redacted]
[redacted] to go to [redacted] of the Highway
Department, and then to Reynolds Construction Company.

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The [redacted] regarding [redacted] does not
contain any information as to [redacted] whereabouts on
11/24/71.

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LEADS:

CHARLOTTE DIVISION

AT COLUMBUS, NORTH CAROLINA

Recontact [redacted] State Highway Department,
and review records to see if those records reveal where
[redacted] was working on 11/24/71, and thereafter conduct
investigation or set out lead to determine if [redacted] was
actually on duty on that date.

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SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM LOUISVILLE (164-71)

MURJACK: U"SUB, [REDACTED] - SUSPECT; OO: SEATTLE

ON MAY 12, 1975, [REDACTED]

LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY, FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION

WHICH WAS PREVIOUSLY CONVEYED TO HIM [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] PAWLEYS ISLAND, SOUTH CAROLINA:

DURING 1971, [REDACTED] EMPLOYED INDIVIDUAL KNOWN

[REDACTED] BEAVERTON,

OREGON (PORTLAND SUBURB), [REDACTED] DESCRIBED

AS W/M, "MEXICAN", AGE 35-40, REPORTEDLY [REDACTED]

HAD APPARENTLY BEEN [REDACTED] WHO USED TO

RESIDE BEAVERTON, OREGON, MOVED TO PAWLEYS ISLAND, SOUTH

CAROLINA, VIA MIAMI, FLORIDA, LEAVING [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] SUBSEQUENT THERETO, [REDACTED] WAS FIRED BY

[REDACTED] HOWEVER, REMAINED [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] KNOWLEDGE.

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[REDACTED] VANISHED ABOUT TIME OF NORJACK GIVING NO INDICATION OF INTENTION TO DO SO.

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FOLLOWING DEPARTURE OF [REDACTED] EXAMINED [REDACTED] AND MAP OF PORTLAND, OREGON, AREA WITH UNSPECIFIED AREAS MARKED, WAS FOUND. [REDACTED] REPORTEDLY WAS COMMERCIAL AIRCRAFT PILOT FAMILIAR WITH AREA, HAVING BEEN PREVIOUSLY EMPLOYED BY [REDACTED] PORTLAND AREA. [REDACTED] ALSO BELIEVED TO HAVE HAD SOME PARACHUTE EXPERIENCE EITHER IN JUMPING OR RIGGING WHILE IN SERVICE.

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[REDACTED] CURRENTLY ON [REDACTED] [REDACTED] INITIALLY BROUGHT ABOVE INFORMATION TO ATTENTION [REDACTED] IS [REDACTED] LOUISVILLE DIVISION OF POLICE (LDP), LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY, THROUGH WHOM [REDACTED] DESIRED TO OBTAIN OPINION AS TO POSSIBLE SIGNIFICANCE OF SAME PRIOR TO REPORTING INFORMATION TO APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES.

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[REDACTED] BELIEVES [REDACTED] WHO WILL BE ABLE TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL AND MORE SPECIFIC INFORMATION [REDACTED] WHICH LATTER BELIEVES TO BE ALIAS, WILL BE

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COOPERATIVE WITH FBI IF ASSURED INFORMATION WILL BE HANDLED
CONFIDENTIALLY. [REDACTED] DOES
NOT WANT TO IMPLICATE [REDACTED] IF LATTER IS IN NO WAY
INVOLVED MORJACK.

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COLUMBIA AT PAWLEYS ISLAND, SOUTH CAROLINA: CONTACT
[REDACTED] RE ABOVE INFORMATION, INFORMING HIM OF
[REDACTED] WITH LOUISVILLE DIVISION, ELICIT ALL
PERTINENT INFORMATION RE FORMER EMPLOYEE [REDACTED] SETTING
FORTH APPROPRIATE LEADS FOR PORTLAND DIVISION.

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COLUMBIA AT COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA: REVIEW
REPORT RE MORJACK DATED MAY 30, 1973, FOR INVESTIGATIVE STEPS
RE PROCESS OF MORJACK SUSPECTS PRIOR TO INTERVIEWING [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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LOUISVILLE AT LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY: MAINTAIN CONTACT
WITH [REDACTED] RE INSTANT MATTER FOR POSSIBLE ADDITIONAL
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[redacted] Sarasota, Florida, telephone number [redacted]
[redacted] voluntarily appeared at the Sarasota Resident
Agency of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Sarasota,
Florida, and furnished the following information:

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[redacted] had resided at [redacted]
Sarasota, to until three weeks ago when he moved into
his newly purchased residence noted above. He has been
employed since [redacted] by the
Internal Revenue Service, Federal Building, Sarasota.

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[redacted] who was born [redacted]
[redacted] had graduated from [redacted] Oak
Park, Illinois, during [redacted] From [redacted] he
had served in the United States Army. During the winter
quarter of [redacted] he had enrolled at the University of
Washington, Seattle, Washington, and had attended that
school until he graduated during December, [redacted] During
[redacted] he joined the Seattle Police Department with
whom he had served until [redacted] at which time he was called
back to active duty with the United States Army, Military
Police Corps. He had served on active duty until [redacted] at
which time he returned to the Seattle Police Department.
During [redacted] he had taken a leave of absence from the Seattle
Police Department for [redacted]

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[redacted] and he
had returned to the Seattle Police Department. He had
continued his employment with the Seattle Police Department
until March, [redacted] when he had resigned and entered on active
duty in the United States Army as a [redacted]
[redacted] He had served with the United States Army until he was
released to inactive duty as a reserve officer during June,
[redacted] He had been a [redacted] at the time of his release to

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Interviewed on 5/1/75 [redacted] Sarasota, Fla.

File # TAMPA 164-110-43

SA [redacted] fvh

by [redacted] Date dictated [redacted]

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inactive duty. Subsequently, he served for one year as the [redacted] at the Candle General Hospital, having been employed by the United Security Agency at Savannah, Georgia. He had also sold life insurance for a short period of time prior to entering employment with the Internal Revenue Service at Sarasota, Florida.

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Specifically, on or about November 24, 1971 [redacted] had been serving on active duty in the capacity of [redacted] Fort Stewart, Georgia. He had served in this capacity from [redacted] [redacted] when he was released to inactive duty status. He recalled that on Thanksgiving Day, 1971 he had been at Fort Stewart, noting that he had not visited [redacted]

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[redacted] His presence at Fort Stewart could be proven by the various daily reports which he would have signed in his capacity as [redacted]. He estimated that he probably signed 90 percent of the required papers of this organization, the [redacted] Fort Stewart, inasmuch as the [redacted] is normally only a figurehead. He recalled that the various documents associated with the daily operation of the [redacted] were only maintained one year, and then they were placed in dead storage at an unknown location. Specifically, he had not been in the northwest section of the United States, including Portland, Oregon, or Seattle, Washington, on or about November 24, 1971.

[redacted] considered himself to be a skilled parachutist possessing [redacted] was a [redacted] and had made 55 parachute jumps, all in the military service. He had made his last parachute jump during [redacted] while on reserve status. From the early part of [redacted] until [redacted] he had been a member of the [redacted] an active reserve group of the United States Army, which met either weekly or monthly at Fort Lawton, Washington. The group in Seattle consisted of approximately 16 members who were mostly older persons then in their late 30's or early 40's. The entire reserve group consisted of approximately 100 members from various cities on the West Coast. He has not flown too much over the Portland-Seattle area, noting that his last qualification jumps had been made in Georgia and Utah. The only time he has flown over Portland was approximately three times during [redacted] en route to and from training missions in the

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State of California. Furthermore, he has not been in either the States of Washington or Oregon since he left there during [redacted]. The closest he has come to this northwest region would have been during [redacted] when he was assigned to the United States Army at San Francisco, California.

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[redacted] indicated that the only possible foreign extraction in his family tree would be [redacted]. He considered himself to be an "unpracticing" Catholic. He claimed that he hardly drinks anything alcoholic and believes himself to be very moderate in his drinking habits. Normally if he imbibes, it would be bourbon and 7-Up or Ginger Ale or some other sweet mix. For the past 20 years he has smoked Lucky Strike cigarettes and does not smoke anything with a filter tip. He indicated that he peels off the filters [redacted] L & M cigarettes prior to smoking these. He has never smoked Raleigh cigarettes.

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During the period from [redacted] [redacted] noting that during August, [redacted] they had paid cash for a Ford LTD which they still drive. During [redacted] he had had no particular personal problems, noting [redacted] had served in Vietnam and had returned to this country alive. He is still a member of the inactive reserve and is scheduled to return to Fort Stewart to serve on active duty for two weeks during [redacted].

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[redacted] specifically pointed out that he had never left Fort Stewart, Georgia, on or about November 24, 1971 or the immediate Thanksgiving holiday. If he had so left, the records of Fort Stewart would so show this departure inasmuch as it was the policy for the officers to be required to sign in and out at the time.

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The following description was obtained through observation and interrogation:

Name
Sex
Race
Age
Born

[redacted]
Male
White
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Height

[redacted]
5 feet 11 1/2 to
5 feet 11 3/4

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Weight
Build
Hair

180
Medium
Medium brown, greying,
combed straight back,
parted on left side;
[redacted] claimed prior to his
release from active duty
during [redacted] his hair
had always been worn in
typical military short crew
cut style, and he has series
of photos which might prove
this feature.
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Date: 5/9/75

Transmit the following in _____
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TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-31) [REDACTED]
 FROM: SAC, TAMPA (164-110) (RUC) [REDACTED]

NORJAK
 (OO: SEATTLE)

RE [REDACTED]

Enclosed for Seattle are three (3) copies of an FD-302 incorporating the results of the interview with suspect [REDACTED] as well as three different photographs of [REDACTED]

It is to be noted that Tampa is not aware of the basis for [REDACTED] being designated a possible suspect in this matter, and was not in position to alleviate [REDACTED] concern over his name being mentioned in this criminal investigation. [REDACTED] pointed out that he is still a member of the Inactive Reserve of the United States Army and is currently employed [REDACTED] by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Sarasota, Florida, and is apprehensive about his name possibly being disclosed by the FBI as being associated with a criminal investigation. Tampa is not aware of the extent of the prior investigation conducted to definitely pinpoint [REDACTED] location on 11/24/71, noting [REDACTED] statement that his name as [REDACTED] would appear on most of the various daily reports of his former unit, the [REDACTED] at Fort Stewart, Georgia, on that date.

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 Special Agent in Charge

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : SAC, CHARLOTTE (164-101) (RUC)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
BUFILE: 164-2111

DATE: 5/19/75

Re Columbia airtel to Seattle dated 4/21/75, and
Knoxville airtel to Seattle dated 5/7/75.

RE: [REDACTED]

On 5/7/75, [REDACTED] North Carolina Highway
Department, Columbus, N. C., advised that [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] was employed by the Highway Commission at Columbus,
N. C., on [REDACTED] and was transferred to the Hendersonville
Unit on [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] had come to
Columbus, N. C., from Greenville, S. C., where [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] and gave a Social Security Account Number as
[REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] was employed as a
[REDACTED] and showed an address of [REDACTED] Saluda,
N. C. [REDACTED] advised that the photograph of [REDACTED] taken
[REDACTED] is the same individual he knew.

On 5/7/75, [REDACTED] Saluda Post
Office, Saluda, N. C., advised that [REDACTED] is
for the White Stag Inn and not for any individual. [REDACTED]
advised that she does recall that [REDACTED] came from the Greer,
S. C., area prior to coming to North Carolina.

On 5/7/75, [REDACTED] North Carolina National
Bank, Tryon, N. C., advised that her records indicate that
[REDACTED] purchased a 1972 Ford [REDACTED]
on [REDACTED] [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] listed his home
address as Greer, S. C., and the note was finally paid off on
[REDACTED] in Greer, S. C. [REDACTED]
advised that the total note initially financed was \$3,740.76.

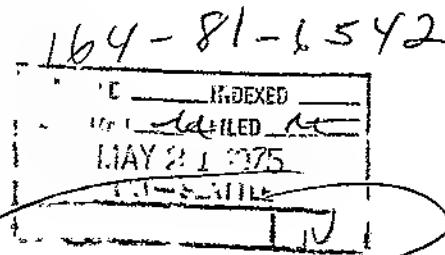
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

DATE: 5/19/75

FROM : SAC, DETROIT (164-115)(RUC)

SUBJECT: UNSUB., aka.,
Dan Cooper;
Northwest Airlines,
Flight 350, Portland,
Oregon, to Seattle, Washington,
11/24/71
CAA - HIJACKING; EXTORTION
(OO: SEATTLE)

Re Milwaukee letter to Detroit, dated 4/22/75.

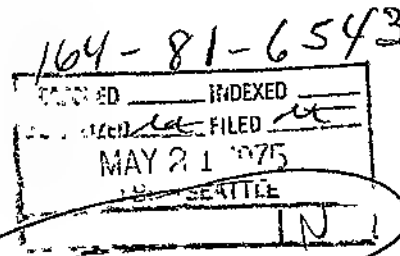
On 5/8/75, [redacted] Ironwood, Michigan, Police Department, viewed photographs of an unknown white male entering [redacted] Ironwood, Michigan, and [redacted] stated that this individual is named [redacted] a resident of Ironwood, Michigan. [redacted] stated that [redacted] is rather well known to the Ironwood Police Department in view of the fact that [redacted] sometimes causes [redacted] and [redacted] has in the past issued [redacted] in the Ironwood area, in small amounts. [redacted] stated that he knows of no other involvement [redacted] might have in any other criminal activity and he described [redacted] as a white male, age approximately 35, brown hair, 5'6" to 5'8", and 150 pounds.

On 5/8/75, [redacted] advised that the individual in photographs shown him is [redacted] a local resident of the Ironwood, Michigan, area, and this source stated that [redacted]

[redacted] Source stated [redacted] in Ironwood, but [redacted] and source stated

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that he did not know that [redacted]
Source added that [redacted] has been a life-long resident of
Ironwood, Michigan, area.

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It is noted that the photographs enclosed would
have been taken from the premises known as [redacted]
[redacted] Ironwood, [redacted] This
business establishment is located directly across the street
from [redacted]
It is well known in the Ironwood area [redacted]
are in direct competition in the Ironwood area in the field
of photography and film development.

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In view of the fact that the individual whose
image appears on enclosed Milwaukee photographs in referenced
letter, has been identified, and since this individual could
not be considered a logical suspect in captioned matter,
this matter is considered RUC'd in Detroit.

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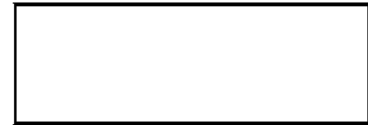
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FROM : SAC, CINCINNATI (164-55) (RUC)

SUBJECT: NORJAK

DATE: 5/20/75



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ReCilet to SE, 4/2/75.

On 5/12/75, [redacted]
Columbus, Ohio, was contacted and advised that he could
not recall ever being associated with a [redacted]
from Rickenbacher Air Force Base. [redacted] further advised
that he was not familiar with a DAN or a DON COOPER.

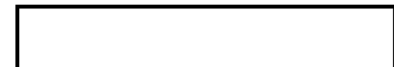
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In view of the fact that all leads in the Cincinnati
Division appear to be exhausted, Cincinnati is considering
this case RUC'd.

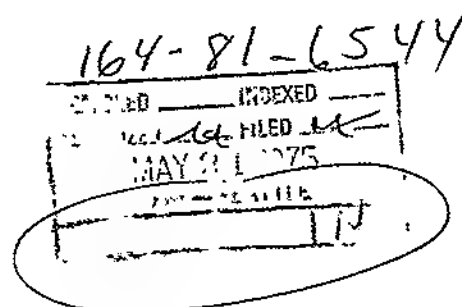
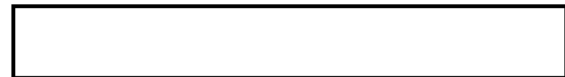
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

DATE: 5/16/75

FROM : SA ROBERT H. WICK

SUBJECT: NORJAK

RE: [REDACTED]

Re memo of SA MANNING dated April 28, 1975.

At Olympia, Washington

On May 12, 1975, [REDACTED] Washington State Board of Prison Terms and Paroles, made available the file on [REDACTED]. The file contains a photo taken at the Washington Correction Center dated [REDACTED]. It disclosed that he was [REDACTED] after having been committed out of Kitsap County on [REDACTED].

He [REDACTED] to Cowlitz County and [REDACTED] whose report dated November 23, 1971, showed subject [REDACTED] residing at [REDACTED] near Castlerock. He was [REDACTED] Cascade Motors, Longview, and his prognosis by [REDACTED] was favorable. [REDACTED] even recommended the intensity of supervision be reduced from maximum to medium in view of his progress.

On April 13, 1972, [REDACTED] filed a violation report showing [REDACTED] had quit his job with Cascade Motors in February, 1972, and started his own business [REDACTED] out of Portland, Oregon. He also [REDACTED]

As a result, [REDACTED] He was subsequently located and [REDACTED] at Rodhead, Wisconsin, on [REDACTED] and returned to Kelso.

As of May 1, 1975, [REDACTED] and there is correspondence in his file between the United States Attorney's Office and authorities at [REDACTED]

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[redacted] indicating he was being sought under the UFAC statute and was possibly in Yokohama, Japan, living with [redacted]

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LEADS:

SEATTLE DIVISION

At Longview, Washington

Inasmuch as it is the purpose of this investigation to determine if [redacted] could possibly be the subject of this case, it is suggested that officials at Cascade Motors be contacted since it appears that he was employed by that company during the pertinent period of the hijack (November 24, 1971).

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Date: 5/14/75

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 FROM: SAC, ANCHORAGE (164-59)(P)
 SUBJ: NORJAK
 OO: SEATTLE
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Re Anchorage airtel to Seattle, 5/2/75.

On 5/14/75, [redacted] Anchorage, Alaska, advised he is employed at Century Automatic Sprinkler Company, telephone 349-1526. He has been in Alaska for a few months but originally lived in the State of Washington and has spent some time in Oregon. He indicated he has always been interested in police work and as such, is familiar with "D.B. COOPER" aircraft hijacking case. He inquired as to if the Statute of Limitations had run on this case and if there was a reward still being offered for its solution.

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He was advised in the affirmative and then furnished the following information:

A female acquaintance of his in Anchorage, who he declined to identify, as he did not want to get her involved, told him of an incident that had happened recently. This female had been drinking with another female in Anchorage and the other female, after she had become quite intoxicated, related that she thought she knew who had been responsible for the "D.B. COOPER" hijacking. At the time of the hijacking, this woman had been attending a nursing school in Longview, Washington. There was a white male, also attending this

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nursing school, who generally fit the description of "D.B. COOPER". This individual was an experienced skydiver and had won trophies for participation in this activity. Shortly after the hijacking occurred, this individual appeared to be living beyond his means. After graduating from the nursing school, the male individual moved to the Portland, Oregon area, where he took on employment as a male nurse.

[] does not know the identity of the woman who was furnishing this information, but feels that because it was told in confidence, while the woman was intoxicated, it may have some basis for truth. [] will recontact his female acquaintance and determine if she will cooperate with authorities or can furnish any information concerning the identity of the female who worked in the Longview Nursing Home.

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The above information is furnished for the information of the Seattle Office and should Anchorage develop any additional information concerning the identity of the individuals mentioned above, the Seattle Office will be so advised.

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AIRTEL

TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)
FROM: SAC, ANCHORAGE (164-59)(P)
SUBJ: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
BUFILE 164-2111

ARMED AND DANGEROUS

Re Anchorage airtel to Seattle, 5/2/75.

On 5/14/75, [redacted]
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : *Ba* SAC, BUTTE (164-26) (RUC)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: Seattle
BuFile #164-2111

DATE: 5/19/75

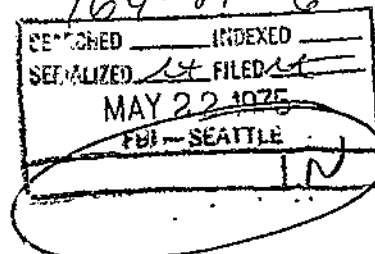


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Re Butte letter to Seattle, 3/25/75.

All logical investigation has been conducted and reported by the Butte Office and this matter is being considered RUC by Butte.

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1 - Butte
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 5/23/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: [REDACTED]

Re memo of SA [REDACTED] dated 3/14/75.

A DMV check at Seattle, Washington, contained the following information concerning suspect [REDACTED]

Name:
Date of birth:
Driver's license:

Address:

Lynnwood, Washington

No restrictions

Eyes: Blue
Weight: 160 lbs.
Height: 5'8"

Out of state to
California: June, 1973

In addition the following information was obtained concerning [REDACTED]

Name:
Date of birth:

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(3) [initials]

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License Number:

[Redacted]

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Address:

[Redacted]

Yakima, Washington

Adequate glasses

Eyes:

Blue

Weight:

160 lbs.

Height:

5'8"

LEADS:

SEATTLE DIVISION

At Olympia, Washington

Will obtain copies of both of the above described driver's licenses and forward same to Seattle.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 5/23/75

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OO: SEATTLE

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The following investigation was conducted
by SA [REDACTED]

AT SPARTANBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA

Review of the Spartanburg City Directories
for the years 1960 to date reflected no listing for
[REDACTED]

Observation on April 17, 1975, disclosed that the
addresses of [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] are non-existent.

On April 18, 1975, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Spartanburg General Hospital, advised that a
review of his records failed to show any employment for
a [REDACTED]

On April 17, 1975, [REDACTED] Police Department,
and on April 29, 1975, [REDACTED] Sheriff's Office,
both advised their files contained no record of [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

DATE: 5/19/75

FROM : SAC, COLUMBIA (164-48) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
(OO: SE)
BUFile 164-2111

RE: [REDACTED]

ReSEairtel to CO, 4/10/75, COairtels to SE,
4/16/75 and 4/21/75.

Enclosed for the Seattle Division is the original
and nine copies of an insert reflecting investigation conducted
by SA [REDACTED] at Spartanburg, S. C.

The following investigation was conducted by
SC [REDACTED] on 4/22/75 at Columbia, S. C.

[REDACTED] Credit Bureau of Columbia,
[REDACTED] Richland County Sheriff's Office and [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Columbia Police Department, advised a review of the
files of their respective agencies failed to show a record
identifiable with [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] South
Carolina Highway Department, advised license number [REDACTED]
was issued on [REDACTED]
Spartanburg, S. C. [REDACTED] described as male, [REDACTED]
5'9" to 6'; 141 to 160 lbs.

Investigation Columbia, continuing.

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2 - Columbia

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[redacted] was located at his residence -
[redacted] North Litchfield Beach, South Carolina,
at which time he was advised of the identity of the inter-
viewing agent and the nature of the inquiry. [redacted] pro-
vided the following information:

Although a resident of North Litchfield Beach
he is [redacted]
[redacted] in Miami, Florida. In addition to [redacted]
[redacted] in Beaverton, Oregon, a suburb of Portland,
Oregon. Approximately two or three years ago a Beaverton
[redacted] in
Beaverton, Oregon, and is now possibly hospitalized in
the Veteran's Administration (VA) Hospital, Portland,
Oregon. [redacted] At the time [redacted] the
[redacted] an individual whom he
knows as [redacted]
[redacted] seemed like an exceptionally intelligent man to be
[redacted] [redacted] claimed
that it was important that he obtain a good paying job
since he was [redacted]
[redacted] He stated that he was
[redacted] In addition to claiming [redacted]
[redacted] also claimed to have had
[redacted] also
claimed to have been employed with a Vancouver, Washington,
[redacted] While with this Vancouver firm he made
[redacted] to Alaska.

[redacted] advised that he is very familiar with the
sky-jacking of the Northwest Airline Flight from Portland,
Oregon, to Seattle, Washington, on November 24, 1971. Last
year (September 1974) after he terminated [redacted]

[redacted] he began thinking that [redacted]
could quite conceivably be responsible for the hi-jacking
of this plane. [redacted] provided the following reasons why
he suspected [redacted] of this sky-jacking:

Interviewed on 5/14/75 at North Litchfield, S. C. File # CO 164-48

by SA [redacted] jap

Date dictated 5/15/75

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1. [] claimed to have pilot and sky-diving experience. He also claimed to have been in the Air Force. [] told him that he had been a commercial pilot and while employed []

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[] stated that he has flown with [] and [] appeared to use good judgement, however, did not seem to be up on the latest SAA requirements. [] stated he [] and this was easily discernible to him.

2. [] has indicated he was in the Portland, Oregon, area during the time of the sky-jacking. On November 24, 1971, [] was in Tucson, Arizona. [] was allegedly working in Tucson, Arizona, at this time, however, when he was first employed [] sometime in 1972 he told him [] that he had just terminated his employment in Vancouver. [] advised that throughout conversation with [] he was never able to determine whether [] was actually in Vancouver or in Tucson on November 24, 1971.

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3. [] appeared to cover [] While employed [] advised he always felt that [] reason []

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4. [] claim to be impoverished, however, at the same time appearing to have a large amount of money. [] kept two heavy safes at []

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He claimed that these safes contained [] advised that he has in fact seen a [] further advised that he felt [] was paranoid about burglars. []

[redacted]
it from burglars. [redacted]

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[redacted] stated he was unable
to identify the [redacted]

When [redacted]
September, 1974, he left several

[redacted]
(not further described) [redacted]

[redacted] When [redacted]
[redacted] he took one of the safes with
him to [redacted]

[redacted] in
Beaverton, Oregon. The second safe
was moved from [redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]

[redacted] advised he has not seen [redacted] since
October 1974 at which time [redacted]
[redacted] in Beaverton, Oregon, and residing at [redacted]
[redacted]

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[redacted] reviewed the FBI artist's conception of the
individual responsible for hi-jacking the Northwest Airline
Flight from Portland to Seattle on November 24, 1971. [redacted]
stated that there is a striking similarity between the facial
features of [redacted] and the man in the artist's concep-
tion.

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[redacted] provided the following description and
background information on [redacted]

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Name:	[redacted]
Aliases:	None known
Race:	Caucasian
Sex:	Male
Height:	5'10"
Weight:	170 lbs.
Age:	35 to 37

Hair: Dishwater blonde
to brown in color
(full beard)
Eyes: Very blue
Facial Features: Square face

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[redacted]
[redacted]
Retired architect out of Cleveland,
Ohio, currently residing [redacted]
[redacted] in Sugar Loaf Key, Florida;

[redacted] described [redacted] as being extremely intelligent
with an IQ of approximately 150, soft-spoken and a loner. [redacted]
was not a smoker, however, had stated that he had quit smoking
at one time. He appeared to be in rather good physical shape,
however, [redacted]

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[redacted] handles
money very cautiously and does not trust banks. He pays his
bills with cash and protects his private safes or vaults with
[redacted] appears to be the type of individual that

[redacted]
[redacted] never had any social acquaintances although
he frequently talked of having several friends. [redacted] never
used any type of curse words, however, would say
goddam or dammit. His voice was very soft spoken or middle
range. His dress when not working was always casual and
very seldom would he wear good clothes.

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Date: 5/20/75

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL
(Priority)

TO: SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM: *Jag* SAC, COLUMBIA (164-48) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
(OO: SE)
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ReLSnitel to Bureau dated 5/12/75.

RE: [REDACTED]

Enclosed herewith for the Seattle and Portland Divisions are two copies each of FD-302 reflecting interview of [REDACTED] dated 5/14/75; one copy of each FD-302 is being enclosed for the Louisville and Miami Divisions.

LEADS:PORTLAND DIVISION

Consider [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Feaverton, Oregon, as suspect in captioned matter and conduct appropriate investigation.

MIAMI AND LOUISVILLE DIVISIONS

Being furnished information copy in view of their current or anticipated investigative interest. In view of the fact that Columbia Division does not realize full scope of investigation, additional investigative Leads should be set out by office of origin.

- (2)-Seattle (Enc. 2)
2-Portland (Enc. 2) (164-41)
1-Louisville (Enc. 1) (164-71) (Info)
1-Miami (Enc. 1) (164-552) (Info)
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77 NORTH LITCHFIELD, S. C.

Will maintain contact with [REDACTED] for
possible additional information.

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Date: 5/21/75

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL
(Priority)

TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (164-497) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK

On 4/29/75, [redacted] Covina, California, Police Department, advised that he had recently been contacted by a confidential source. The source, who had furnished reliable information in the past, suspected that a former acquaintance, [redacted] was identical with "D. B. COOPER."

The source related that [redacted]

[redacted] had [redacted]

- (2) - Seattle
2 - Portland (164-41)
2 - Los Angeles

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LA 164-497

According to [redacted] source, [redacted]

[redacted]
considered a logical suspect in this case.

Contact with [redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]

The FBI Identification Division located a file for [redacted] but it was noted he had no record of arrest since 1961.

[redacted] failed to obtain a description of [redacted] from his source and has been unable to recontact him. When this recontact is made, [redacted] will attempt to arrange an interview of the source by FBI Agents.

LEADS

PORTLAND

AT SALEM, OREGON: Through state prison authorities, attempt to identify [redacted] reportedly arrested in that state during the fall of 1971 [redacted]
[redacted]

LOS ANGELES

AT COVINA, CALIFORNIA: Maintain contact with [redacted] and report any additional information received from his source.

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Date: 5/22/75

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via A I R T E L A I R M A I L
(Priority)

TO: SAC, LAS VEGAS

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (164-2021)(P)

SUBJECT: NORJACK

RE: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] for U.S. District Judge X [REDACTED]
 ROBERT F. PECKHAM advised on 5/21/75 that he has a client who desires to remain anonymous but would be interested in receiving any rewards connected with the apprehension of COOPER.

His client claims that she was acquainted with a MARY PAINTER or NICHOLSON in Reno, Nevada, who died in 1974. According to this client, MARY PAINTER told her

[REDACTED] looked very much like the composite that she had seen in the newspapers. The client had no other information than the fact that the suspect would be in his late 30s and he had dark hair and dark eyes and had Indian blood either through his

[REDACTED] This client also said that suspect had been [REDACTED] but did not know the dates.

The client said that the suspect [REDACTED]

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The suspect [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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According to [REDACTED] client, the suspect
[REDACTED] (no other name or description
available) [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] names
unknown, but whose address [REDACTED] Wyoming,
telephone number [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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According to the client, suspect [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
State of Washington.

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The suspect has relatives in the State of
Washington.

LEADS

DENVER

AT [REDACTED] WYOMING. Attempt to locate [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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LAS VEGAS

AT RENO, CALIFORNIA. Attempt to locate suspect's
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] NO RECORD DO HAVE

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[REDACTED] LYNNWOOD

NO RESTRICTIONS

BLUE EYES 160 LBS 5 FT 8

OUT OF STATE TO CALIF JUNE 73

[REDACTED] YAKIMA CASH

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ADEQUATE GLASSES

BLUE EYES 160 LBS 5 FT 8

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[REDACTED] 70 REG 61 FORD 8THB/CN

[REDACTED] YAKIMA

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[REDACTED] 73 REG 69 BROOM 643BE/12

[REDACTED] YAKIMA

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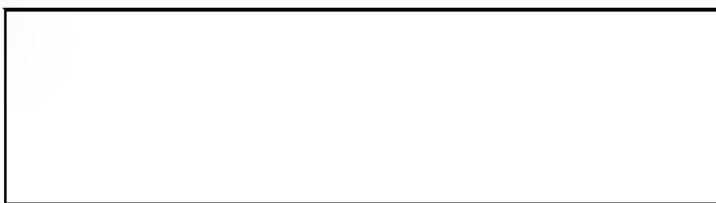
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: May 27, 1975

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: [REDACTED]

A file review of this matter indicates [REDACTED] was inadvertently marked eliminated when investigation completed.

The [REDACTED] were originally suspects in this matter because one of the two of them resembled the artists composite of D. B. COOPER. Through logical investigation, it has been determined that [REDACTED] do not fit the general description of COOPER, and were therefore eliminated as possible suspects in this matter.

In view of this, no further investigation will be conducted concerning them at this time.

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SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

May 27, 1975

SA [REDACTED]

NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: [REDACTED]

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE SEATTLE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN SEATTLE	DATE 5/23/75	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 3/18 - 4/31/75
TITLE OF CASE UNSUB; aka Dan Cooper NORTHWEST AIRLINES FLIGHT 305 FROM PORTLAND, OREGON TO SEATTLE, WASHINGTON 11/24/71		REPORT MADE BY [REDACTED]	TYPED BY bj b6 b7c
		CHARACTER OF CASE CAA - HIJACKING; EXTORTION	

REFERENCE: Seattle report of SA [REDACTED] dated 12/3/74.

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

The purpose of this report is to advise the Bureau of pertinent facts concerning this major case other than routine investigation of numerous suspects currently being processed.

There are currently 763 suspects, 726 of whom have been eliminated. New suspects are being developed and expeditious processing of the suspects continues.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS CLAIMED					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NONE	ACQUIT-TALS	CASE HAS BEEN:
CONVIC.	FUG.	FINES	SAVINGS	RECOVERIES			
							PENDING OVER ONE YEAR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
APPROVED <i>f</i>					SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE		
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Leads concerning individual suspects are being set out by separate communication. The results of these investigations are not set forth in this report since all results to date have been negative. Positive results will be immediately forwarded to the Bureau.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - USA, Seattle

Attention: [REDACTED]

Assistant United States Attorney

Report of [REDACTED]

Office: SEATTLE

Date: May 23, 1975

Field Office File #: 164-81

Bureau File #: 164-2111

Title: UNKNOWN SUBJECT; Also Known As
Dan Cooper
NORTHWEST AIRLINES FLIGHT 305
FROM PORTLAND, OREGON TO
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON, 11/24/71

Character:

CRIME ABORAD AIRCRAFT - HIJACKING; EXTORTION

Synopsis: Investigation to identify Unknown Subject to date has been negative. Assistant United States Attorney [REDACTED] has made inquiry to the Department of Justice concerning the statute of limitations for this crime. Investigation continuing. ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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DETAILS:

Investigation to identify Unknown Subject to date, negative.

On March 18, 1975, Assistant United States Attorney [REDACTED] was contacted regarding a statute of limitations as it pertains to this crime. Assistant United States Attorney [REDACTED] advised he would have a law clerk research this question.

The following letter, dated March 31, 1975, was received by the Seattle Division of the FBI:

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE SEATTLE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN SEATTLE	DATE 5/23/75	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 3/18 - 4/31/75
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		CHARACTER OF CASE CAA - HIJACKING; EXTORTION	

REFERENCE: Seattle report of SA dated 12/3/74.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 5/23/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: [REDACTED]

Re Los Angeles letter to Seattle, dated
12/11/74.

In view of the fact that [REDACTED] is 5'7" and
his date of birth is [REDACTED] he does not fit the gen-
eral description of Unsub in this matter. Therefore,
no further investigation will be conducted concerning
[REDACTED] at time.

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ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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[REDACTED] [Signature]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 5/23/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: [REDACTED]

Re Los Angeles letter to Seattle, dated
12/11/74.

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his date of birth is [REDACTED] he does not fit the gen-
eral description of Unsub in this matter. Therefore,
no further investigation will be conducted concerning
[REDACTED] at time.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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SAC, ANCHORAGE (164-59)

5/27/75

SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: 

Re Los Angeles letter to Anchorage, dated 6/19/73,
and Seattle letter to Anchorage, dated 11/22/74.

For the information of the Anchorage Division,
Seattle is currently conducting a file review of captioned
matter. Pursuant to that file review, the results of
investigation requested in Los Angeles letter to Anchorage,
dated 6/19/73, have not yet been received by the Seattle
Division. Anchorage Division is requested to forward to
Seattle by routing slip or other suitable communication
the results of the requested investigation.

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3 - Seattle

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164-81-6560

SAC, ANCHORAGE (164-59)

5/27/75

SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE:

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Seattle by routing slip or other suitable communication
the results of the requested investigation.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS

- 2 - Anchorage
 - ③ - Seattle
- RNN:cjg
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DB Cooper-13527

NR019 W A PLAIN 7-24AM 6-4-75

7:25PM HST NITEL JUNE 3, 1975 TDC

TO DIRECTOR (164-2111)

SEATTLE (164-81)

LAS VEGAS (164-60)

-----ALL OFFICES VIA FBIHQ-----

FROM HONOLULU (164-35) (RUC) 2P

NORJAK. 00: SEATTLE.

[REDACTED] HONOLULU, ADVISED JUNE 3, 1975

HIS OFFICE DEVELOPING SOURCE BUT CANNOT VOUCH FOR RELIA-

BILITY. SOURCE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WHO RELATED FOLLOWING TO SOURCE:

D. B. COOPER FROM RENO, NEVADA AREA AND USING NAME

[REDACTED], IN RENO AREA AND LAST SEEN NINE WEEKS AGO

WITHIN [REDACTED]

EMPLOYED

END PAGE ONE

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[REDACTED] RENO AREA, AND HAS MET SUBJECT UNDER

[REDACTED] SUBJECT HAS [REDACTED]

AND FORMERLY [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], BELIEVED NAMED [REDACTED], RENO AREA.

SUBJECT NOW [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] FREQUENTS RENO -

TAHOE AREA DURING SKI SEASON.

LEADS BEING LEFT TO DISCRETION OO AS HONOLULU NOT
AWARE OF ALL INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED IN THIS MATTER.

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Date: 6/4/75

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Transmit the following in PLAINTEXT
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(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (164-2111)
SAC, LAS VEGAS (164-60)

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

NORJAK, OO: SEATTLE.

RE: [REDACTED]

REFERENCE HONOLULU NITEL TO BUREAU, SEATTLE, AND
LAS VEGAS, JUNE 3, 1975; SEATTLE REPORT OF SA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] MAY 30, 1973.

LAS VEGAS DIVISION AT RENO, NEVADA. ATTEMPT TO
IDENTIFY SUSPECT [REDACTED] AND OBTAIN SUFFICIENT BACK-
GROUND DATA INCLUDING PHOTOGRAPH PRIOR TO NOVEMBER, 1971,
IF POSSIBLE, AND WHEREABOUTS ON NOVEMBER 24, 1971, TO
PROCESS HIM AS A SUSPECT IN THIS MATTER.

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END

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RNN [initials]

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WA 1028 RMS [REDACTED]Approved: [signature]
Special Agent in ChargeIV 858 MLP
Sent [signature] M

Per W8W

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (164-220)

DATE: 6/5/75

FROM : *L* SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
BUfile 164-2111

RE: [redacted]

[redacted] has been suggested as a possible suspect in captioned crime because he resembles the artist's composite of unknown subject. In addition, [redacted] is supposed to have had skydiving experience and is from the Pacific Northwest area.

[redacted] is described as follows:

Race:	White
Sex:	Male
Height:	Approximately 6'1"
Weight:	Approximately 170 pounds
Build:	Slender
Age:	Approximately 40 years
Shoulder:	Narrow
Hair:	Brown, possibly greying
Eyes:	Blue

On 2/27/75, [redacted] advised that his records

[redacted] stated that [redacted]

He further advised that any background information on [redacted] could be obtained through review of [redacted] file at the Federal Records Center, Seattle, Washington. He advised that to obtain the records the following numbers concerning the location of [redacted] file would be needed:

number [redacted]	Accession number [redacted]	Federal Records Center
		Record Group [redacted]

3 - San Francisco
3 - Seattle
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A check with the Seattle Federal Records Center revealed that in [redacted] his records were also transferred to the San Bruno Records Center, California. The number needed to obtain these records is [redacted]

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LEADS:

SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

At San Bruno, California

Will locate [redacted] records and forward to Seattle background information on [redacted] as well as any photographs available so that he may be processed as a possible suspect in this matter.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (164-220)

DATE: 6/5/75

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
BUfile 164-2111

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number [REDACTED] Accession number [REDACTED] Record Group [REDACTED]

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3 - San Francisco

③ - Seattle

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12:50 PM NITEL JUNE 6, 1975 MJH

TO DIRECTOR (164-2111)

SEATTLE (164-81)

HONOLULU (164-85) VIA WASH. D.C.

FROM LAS VEGAS (164-68)

NORJAK. OO: SEATTLE.

RE HONOLULU TEL JUNE 4, 1975, AND SEATTLE TFL, JUNE 4, 1975,
PERTAINING TO D. B. COOPER FROM RENO, USING NAME [REDACTED]

FOR INFORMATION HONOLULU, SEATTLE IN REFERENCED TELETYPE
REQUESTED INVESTIGATION TO IDENTIFY [REDACTED]

HONOLULU IS REQUESTED TO DETERMINE THROUGH SOURCE OF [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] HONOLULU, BACKGROUND INFORMATION CONCERNING [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] SUCH AS TO [REDACTED]

DESCRIPTIVE DATA AND ANY OTHER INFORMATION TO PROCESS HIM AS
SUSPECT IN THIS CASE.

PROVIDE LAS VEGAS RESULTS OF THIS INQUIRY IF INVESTIGATION
TO BE CONDUCTED IN RENO, NEVADA.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 6/9/75

FROM : SA THOMAS J. MANNING

SUBJECT: NORJAK

RE: [REDACTED]

Re memo of SA ROBERT H. WICK, 5/16/75

On 5/27/75 [REDACTED] (formerly Cascade Motors) Longview, Washington advised she would have to locate her payroll records for November, 1971 to determine if [REDACTED] was at work on date of incident.

On 5/28/75 [REDACTED] COWLITZ County SO. Kelso, Washington furnished two photographs of [REDACTED] and the other a Cowlitz County SO photo dated 9/1/72. The description of [REDACTED] in that SO file is as follows:

Sex Male Race White
D of B [REDACTED]
5'9" 140 lbs.
Brown hair Blue Eyes
Light complexion
Slender build

Both pictures are attached for filing

On 6/9/75 [REDACTED] (supra) advised she had located her files re [REDACTED] employment. The payroll record reflects only information that from period 11/16/71 to 11/30/71 (an 88 hour pay would have been his maximum)- The payroll record reflects he only missed four hours during that period. From this record it can be presumed that a distinct possibility exists that [REDACTED] was at work during hijack period but his exact work dates and times cannot be verified through records.

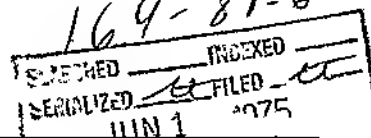


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Date: 6/10/75

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (164-2111)

FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLEMONTHLY SUMMARY

Re Seattle airtel to Bureau, dated May 7, 1975.

SUSPECTS

There are currently 767 suspects, 733 of whom have been eliminated.. New suspects are being developed and appropriate investigation instituted. No outstanding suspects are under consideration at this time.

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Date: 6/10/75

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (164-2111)
FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)
SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

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ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

2 - Bureau (164-2111)
3 - Seattle (164-81)
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Special Agent in Charge

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

DATE: 6/9/75

FROM : SA ROBERT H. WICK

SUBJECT: NORJAK

RE: [REDACTED]

Rememo from SA [REDACTED] 5/23/75.

Attached are driver license photos of [REDACTED]

DOB: [REDACTED]

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NR000 WA PLAIN 5:55AM 06/11/75

11:44PM UST NITEL JUNE 10, 1975 JVS

TO: DIRECTOR (164-2111)

LAS VEGAS (164-67)

SEATTLE (164-81)

----- ALL OFFICES VIA FBI HEADQUARTERS -----

FROM: HONOLULU (164-85) (RUC) 1P

MORJAX. OO: SEATTLE.

RE LAS VEGAS NITEL, JUNE 6, 1974 AND HONOLULU NITEL,
JUNE 3, 1975.

[REDACTED] HONOLULU, DID NOT IDENTIFY HIS SOURCE

BUT DID IDENTIFY SOURCE'S [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] NOT FURTHER DESCRIBED. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ELKO, NEVADA.

IT IS [REDACTED] WHO RELATED TO SOURCE INFORMATION CONCERNING
D. B. COOPER, [REDACTED] SET OUT IN REFERENCED HONOLULU
NITEL.

LAS VEGAS AT ELKO, NEVADA WILL INTERVIEW [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] FOR ANY INFORMATION HE MAY HAVE
REGARDING D. B. COOPER, TAKING PRECAUTION NOT TO COMPROMISE
OR TO DISCLOSE [REDACTED] SOURCE.

END.

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Date of transcription 6/4/75

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[redacted]
[redacted] Cherry Hill, New Jersey, was apprised of the identities of
SAs [redacted] as Special
Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. [redacted]
furnished the following voluntary information:

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[redacted] was advised that he resembled an individual
who was the subject of an FBI investigation and was asked
to furnish pertinent information concerning his background,
which [redacted] agreed to furnish. [redacted] advised he was
formerly in the U. S. Navy in the [redacted]
from [redacted] He said
he was a Navy Chief during the period of time he was
in the U. S. Navy. He said he never had training in flying
or the use of parachutes. [redacted] said he is separated

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[redacted] Delran, New Jersey. He stated that during the period
of November 1971 he was employed by Sunday Publications,
1966 Congress Avenue, West Palm Beach, Florida, with offices
in Caldwell, New Jersey. He said he began his employment
with Sunday Publications approximately November 1971.

[redacted] said he has been living in New Jersey for the past
ten years and prior to Sunday Publications was employed
by the Walter Engle Company, 420 Madison Avenue, New York
City, New York. [redacted] said he has never been West of Chicago
and has never been in Seattle, Portland or the Las Vegas
area.

[redacted] voluntarily stated [redacted]
[redacted] Delran,
New Jersey, and that [redacted] home telephone number is
[redacted] When advised of the slight resemblance of
[redacted] to the individual known as D. B. COOPER, [redacted] said
he has never used an alias nor has he ever been involved
with parachutes or jumping out of an airplane. [redacted]
said he has never been in any financial status wherein he
would have had \$200,000. He said, as a matter of fact, that
he is attempting to start his own church publications

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b7CInterviewed on 6/2/75 at CHERRY HILL, N.J. File # YUK 164-196by SAs [redacted] APR/AEA Date dictated 6/4/75

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magazine and that he is having trouble financing such a venture.

The following description was obtained through observation and interview:

Name	[REDACTED]
Age	[REDACTED]
Weight	160
Eyes	Green
Height	5'10"
Hair	Brown, almost bald
Race	White
Social Security #	[REDACTED]
Wife	[REDACTED]
Wife's address	[REDACTED]
Employment	Delran, New Jersey
Previous employ- ments	Self-employed Sunday Publications, 1966 Congress Avenue, West Palm Beach, Florida. Local address - Caldwell, New Jersey, phone 201-623-0966. Walter Engle Company, 420 Madison Avenue, New York City, New York.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO :

SAC, SEATTLE

DATE: 6/6/75

FROM :

SAC, NEWARK (164-196) (RUC)

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SUBJECT:

UNSUB;
NORTHWEST AIRLINES
FLIGHT #305
11/24/71
CAA - HIJACKING
(OO: SEATTLE)

Enclosed for Seattle are two (2) copies of an FD-302 reflecting interview of [redacted] *Om*

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Any additional investigation being left to the discretion of Seattle.

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[redacted]
Bellingham, Wash. [redacted]

June 10, 1975

Agent [redacted]

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If not for my inherent procrastination you might have gotten this letter a year or two earlier, and if not for the urgings of many of my friends you may not have received it at all. You may not be the best person to contact, but I lifted your name from the May 25th Seattle P I Sunday Northwest magazine section. To shorten what otherwise could be a long story I will say that it is possible I may know the real name of the man called "Cooper."

My friends have urged me to contact the FBI and tell the same story I have told them. They labor under the delusion I'll get rich from all ^{the} rewards. But reward or not I will relate to you, or some other agent, what I know (and do not know) if you can do what you can to keep my name confidential.

I have no need at all for a homicide bent, revenge crazy crook on my trail sometime in the future!

I lost track of this man sometime in 1964, but from what little I know of the hijacking case everything fits. The composite sketch is not a likeness, but two of the features are certainly his.

I haven't said anything up to now for two reasons.

1. The nagging fear I could be causing an innocent person a lot of trouble, and
2. should I be right the guilty party would not look to kindly on me.

I say something now for a number of reasons. Unlike my friends who are positive I once knew the man who was to become D. B. Cooper, I am not sure. I guess I'd like to know too.

Please feel free to have an agent or yourself contact me. Maybe you will agree with my friends.

In confidence;

[redacted]

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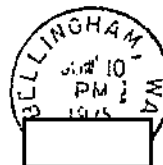
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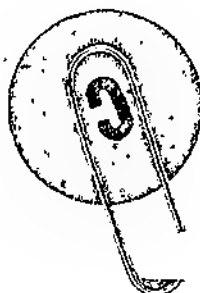
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Date:

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TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM: SAC, PORTLAND (164-41)(P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK

Re information from complainant [redacted]
[redacted] Bellingham, Washington.

Enclosed herewith for Seattle are a letter and an envelope received at the Portland Office this date from [redacted] Bellingham, Washington, [redacted]

[redacted] advises he may have information identifying Unsub in this matter, and requested interview by Agents.

LEADSEATTLE[redacted] AT BELLINGHAM, WASHINGTON. Will interview [redacted] for any information he may have regarding identity of Unsub.

Portland is not otherwise acknowledging [redacted] letter.

② - Seattle (Enc. 2) *rec'd*
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Approved: *[Signature]*
Special Agent in Charge

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Date:

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Via AIRTEL

AIRMAIL

(Priority)

TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM: SAC, PORTLAND (164-41)(P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK

Re information from complainant [redacted]
[redacted] Bellingham, Washington.

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LEADSEATTLE

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Portland is not otherwise acknowledging [redacted] letter.

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Approved: *[Signature]*

Special Agent in Charge

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AIRMAIL

TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)
FROM: SAC, PORTLAND (164-41)(P)
SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re information from complainant [redacted]
[redacted] Bellingham, Washington.

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Enclosed herewith for Seattle are a letter and
envelope received at the Portland Office this date from
[redacted] Bellingham,
Washington, [redacted]

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AT BELLINGHAM, WASHINGTON. Will interview
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of Unsub.

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Portland is not otherwise acknowledging [redacted]
letter.

② - Seattle (Enc. 2)
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, [REDACTED]

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P) [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

DATE: 6/12/75

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Re Omaha letter to Seattle dated 4/18/75.

Enclosed for Omaha Division are three snapshots each having [REDACTED] as one of the persons depicted, which were taken in 1964 and reprinted in 1974.

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All Norjak eyewitnesses have been repeatedly contacted and have viewed numerous photographs. Up to now they have been extremely cooperative, notwithstanding the many contacts they have endured both at work and at home. Based on the above, these witnesses will not be contacted to view photographs unless there is no other way to process a suspect.

Accordingly, the following lead is being set forth:

LEAD:

OMAHA DIVISION

At DeWitt, Iowa

Will contact [REDACTED] and obtain from her complete descriptive and background data concerning [REDACTED] in order that he may be processed as a suspect in this matter.

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DB Cooper 13550

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, [REDACTED]

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P) [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

DATE: 6/12/75

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Re Omaha letter to Seattle dated 4/18/75.

Enclosed for Omaha Division are three snapshots each having [REDACTED] as one of the persons depicted, which were taken in 1964 and reprinted in 1974.

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The following investigation was conducted by
SA [redacted]

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AT RENO, NEVADA

On May 29, 1975, [redacted]
[redacted] United States Post Office, advised [redacted]
[redacted] is employed by that Post Office [redacted]
[redacted] He noted [redacted] and
was employed through a program with the Nevada State
Rehabilitation Agency.

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On May 30, 1975, [redacted]
[redacted] was contacted. He stated he was
uncertain when he last saw [redacted]
stating that they were never close. He said several years
ago [redacted] stopped by the Post Office where he
is employed and attempted to [redacted]
[redacted] He had not seen [redacted] prior
to that time since his father's funeral, on May 1,
1961. He could furnish no information concerning
[redacted]

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DB Cooper-13552

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE

DATE: 6/9/75

FROM : SAC, LAS VEGAS (164-60) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK

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RE: 

Re SF airtel to LV, 5/22/75.

Enclosed herewith are two copies of an investigative insert re investigation conducted at Reno, Nevada.

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AT YERINGTON, NEVADA. Will interview suspect's

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2 - Las Vegas
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

DATE: 6/17/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: NORJACK

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On this date [REDACTED] Attorney, Wenatched, Washington telephonically advised the writer, who was in the Seattle Hdqts. as follows: b6

On 6/17/75 [REDACTED] a local resident contacted him. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] b7C

[REDACTED] at Yacolt, Wash. [REDACTED] told him that he and FNU [REDACTED] at Yacolt had found a huge sum of ~~money~~ money in that area and suspected it might have come from the D.B. COOPER hi-jacking. [REDACTED] indicated that they have hidden this money and wanted [REDACTED] to contact [REDACTED] for advice as to who should be advised. They were also interested in any reward that they might receive.

The writer advised [REDACTED] that this matter would be handled by SA TOM MANNING and [REDACTED] would be advised as to the results of the contact with [REDACTED] b6
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SA MANNING was telephonically advised and he indicated he would contact [REDACTED] on 6/18/75.

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LEAD

At Yacolt, Wash.

Will interview [REDACTED] and/or FNU [REDACTED] in attempt to locate and recover the money mentioned above.

JAD CC: ✓ 1 Norjack Case (164-81)

1 [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

DATE: 6/17/75

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: NORJACK

On this date [redacted] Attorney, Wenatchee, Washington telephonically advised the writer, who was in the Seattle Hdqts. as follows:

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LEAD

At Yacolt, Wash.

Will interview [redacted] and/or FNU [redacted] in attempt to locate and recover the money mentioned above.

JAD CC: 1 Norjack Case 164-81

✓ 1 [redacted]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

DATE: 6/17/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: NORJACK

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LEAD

At Yacolt, Wash.

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JAD CC: 1 Norjack Case (164-81)

1 [REDACTED]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 6/18/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK

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On 5/28/75, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] telephone [REDACTED] advised that she has
[REDACTED] by the name of [REDACTED] of
Maple Valley, Washington, who is continually saying
that he has been involved in captioned case. [REDACTED]
advised that she does not really take notice of [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] is a heavy drinker. On several occasions
[REDACTED] has advised [REDACTED] that he
has the money from the D. B. COOPER case buried in his
driveway. [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Washington.

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[REDACTED] states that [REDACTED] lives at
[REDACTED] in Maple Valley, Washington.
He is around [REDACTED] but that he looks much
younger. She states he is a heavy drinker and that
[REDACTED] at Maple Valley,
Washington.

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DMV check on [REDACTED] DOB [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] was returned on 5/29/75. This shows [REDACTED]
to have a driver's license issued in Washington State
which expires [REDACTED] The license number is [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] and address given as above. He is described
as having brown eyes, standing 5'9" tall, weighing 165
pounds. There are numerous vehicles registered to him.

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Seattle and Norjak indices negative on [REDACTED]

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SEATTLE DIVISION

At Olympia, Washington

Obtain DMV photograph of [REDACTED]

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At Seattle, Washington

Upon receipt of photograph, compare to the artist conceptions of unsub in this matter and consider to be possible suspect.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 6/18/75

FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: NORJAK

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On 5/28/75, [redacted] telephone [redacted] advised that she has [redacted] by the name of [redacted] of Maple Valley, Washington, who is continually saying that he has been involved in captioned case. [redacted] advised that she does not really take notice of [redacted] [redacted] is a heavy drinker. On several occasions [redacted] has advised [redacted] that he has the money from the D. B. COOPER case buried in his driveway. [redacted] advised that [redacted] [redacted] at Shelton, Washington.

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Seattle and Norjak indices negative on [redacted]

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LEADS:

SEATTLE DIVISION

At Olympia, Washington

Obtain DMV photograph of [redacted]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 6/18/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK

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On 5/28/75, [REDACTED] telephone [REDACTED] advised that she has [REDACTED] by the name of [REDACTED] of Maple Valley, Washington, who is continually saying that he has been involved in captioned case. [REDACTED] advised that she does not really take notice of [REDACTED] [REDACTED] is a heavy drinker. On several occasions [REDACTED] has advised [REDACTED] that he has the money from the D. B. COOPER case buried in his driveway. [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] [REDACTED] at Shelton, Washington.

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Seattle and Norjak indices negative on [REDACTED]

LEADS:

SEATTLE DIVISION

At Olympia, Washington

Obtain DMV photograph of [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 6/18/75

FROM : SA THOMAS J. MANNING

SUBJECT: NORJAK

Re memo of SA [redacted] 6/16/75

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On 6/18/75 contact attempted with either [redacted] or person previously carried as (FNU) [redacted] Yacolt, Washington. [redacted] in Lake Merrill area. [redacted] full name of 1 man.

Arrangements made with [redacted] held back from detail on 6/19/75 on request of cohnseilor and he will be interviewed that date re "considerable sum of money" found [redacted] in woods and hidden by them.

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On 6/18/75 Attorney [redacted] Wenatchee, original source of information to SA [redacted] telephonically contacted. He advised received telephone call from [redacted] who advised considerable sum of money found and [redacted] wanted advice on what to do with it. At that time [redacted] furnished [redacted] with following serial numbers of four bills in the pile found and [redacted] said unclear whether 10s or 20s but leaned toward 20s. Information re these bills telephonically furnished 6/18/75 to [redacted] for transmission to NORJAK case agent for check of serial numbers known. No NCIC check due to lack of knowledge re denomination of bills and no series year on bills.

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Requested SA [redacted] contact the writer [redacted] before 8:30 AM, 6/19/75 re results of check on serial numbers.

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Information from [redacted] original visited [redacted]

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Date: 6/20/75

Transmit the following in _____
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(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (164-21111)

FROM: SAC, KANSAS CITY (164-80) -P-

NORJAK

OO: Seattle

The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT LAWRENCE, KANSAS

On 6/16/75, [redacted] who requested his identity be kept strictly confidential and not disclosed to anyone outside the Bureau, (especially not [redacted] mentioned below) stated as follows:

In connection with the sky-jacking of an aircraft a few years ago, he believes at Seattle, Washington, or in Oregon, where "D. B. COOPER" bailed out of the plane with \$200,000.00 and has never been caught, he feels COOPER had to be an experienced "smoke jumper" or experienced in jumping out the back ramp door.

He has [redacted] who presently lives in Tablequah, Oklahoma, and [redacted] worked for Air America in [redacted] After COOPER hijacked the plane, [redacted] was back in the United States and he and [redacted] were

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[redacted]

Approved: _____

Special Agent in Charge

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[redacted] told him that just before COOPER hijacked that plane, [redacted] made by Air America, which was [redacted] This was [redacted]

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He feels one of the two, or both, of the men who [redacted] could be involved in the COOPER case. He suggested that if the flight crew in the COOPER case could see [redacted] they could probably identify one of them, if one was in fact COOPER. If one was COOPER, the other one was probably the helper on the ground, as he feels COOPER would have to have had someone on the ground to help COOPER get away.

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He further stated that if the sketch of COOPER was shown to [redacted] might be able to recognize and identify COOPER. However, he does not know whether [redacted] would be cooperative or not and might even refuse to talk with the FBI.

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He stated he, [redacted] at Missoula, Montana, and he might be able to identify the sketch of COOPER, if COOPER had [redacted] in Missoula at the same time.

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[redacted] stated that the reason he is now furnishing the above information is because he is mad at Air America. He applied with Air America in about [redacted] for a job and they wouldn't hire him.

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He stated he presently works for [redacted] Kansas City, Missouri, [redacted] only works when called, and lives [redacted] in Lawrence, Kansas. He volunteered he is not [redacted] in Lawrence.

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On 6/16/75, the records of the Douglas County Sheriff's Office, Lawrence, Kansas, were reviewed and the following noted:

he is [redacted] white male (indication in file [redacted] born [redacted] at [redacted]

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[redacted]	Social Security No.	[redacted]	occupation	[redacted]
[redacted]	U. S. Army 2 years, General Discharge	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
FBI No.	[redacted]	was	[redacted]	
[redacted]				

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the case was dismissed at complainant's request.

It is suggested by Kansas City that the Bureau consider the feasibility of contacting CIA and obtaining the [redacted] above made by Air America and/or obtaining photographs of the two individuals who [redacted] [redacted] to be exhibited to the pertinent witnesses in this case.

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LEADS:

OKLAHOMA CITY:

AT TAHLEQUAH, OKLAHOMA:

Will interview [redacted] as to possible identity of unsub COOPER and exhibit sketch of unsub to [redacted]

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KANSAS CITY:

AT LAWRENCE, KANSAS:

Will exhibit sketch of unsub to [redacted]
[redacted]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

DATE: 6/24/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: [REDACTED]

Re Seattle memo of SA [REDACTED] dated 5/1/75.

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On 6/17/75, [REDACTED] was located at his place of employment, the Undersea Harvesting Company, Poulsbo, Washington, telephone 779-4600, and advised that he and [REDACTED] were in business together at one time under the name of Washington King Clam, Inc. He advised that [REDACTED] is currently living in Olympia and can be reached at telephone number [REDACTED].

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He advised that he was aware of [REDACTED] and that following [REDACTED] He stated that he could not be sure that [REDACTED] was working on 11/24/71, but nevertheless felt there was a very remote possibility that [REDACTED] was D.B. COOPER. He advised that [REDACTED] was not necessarily athletic and he did not have any knowledge of [REDACTED] as being a parachutest or very knowledgeable regarding airplanes. He advised that the photograph of [REDACTED] taken by the Olympia, Washington Police Department on [REDACTED] was a good likeness of [REDACTED] at the time of the hi-jacking.

^{concluded}
This includes investigation in Bremerton Resident Agency and any further investigation involving the interviewing of [REDACTED] telephone number [REDACTED] in Olympia, Washington is being left to the discretion of the case agent.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 12/5/74

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
BUfile 164-2111)

RE: [REDACTED]

A check with the Washington State Department of Motor Vehicles concerning [REDACTED] revealed the following information:

Name:
DOB:
Address:

Eyes:
Weight:
Height:

[REDACTED]
Cheney, Washington
Hazel
145 pounds
5'7"

Went out of state 11/7/73 to the State of Michigan.

A copy of [REDACTED] Washington State Driver's License was obtained and it is noted that his physical appearance is quite dissimilar from that of the artist's composite of UNSUB. [REDACTED] ears protrude noticeably and his hairline is receding so that he appears to be partially bald on top. Due to the fact that [REDACTED] physical appearance as well as his height (i.e. 5'7") is so dissimilar to the best description of UNSUB, no further investigation will be conducted concerning [REDACTED] at this time.

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SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

12/5/74

SA [REDACTED]

NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
BUfile 164-2111)

RE: [REDACTED]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 12/5/74

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
BUfile 164-2111

RE: [REDACTED]

A check with the Washington State Department of Motor Vehicles revealed the following information concerning [REDACTED]

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Name:
DOB:
Address:

[REDACTED]
Seattle, Washington [REDACTED]

Sex:
Eyes:
Weight:
Height:

Male
Blue
195 pounds
6'

Vehicles registered to [REDACTED] were as follows:

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Washington license [REDACTED], 1972 registration for a 1961 Olds, registered to [REDACTED] Seattle, Washington [REDACTED] vehicle destroyed [REDACTED] wrecker permit number [REDACTED]

Washington license [REDACTED] 1974 registration for a 1964 Ford station wagen, registered to [REDACTED] Seattle, Washington [REDACTED]

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164-81-6373
A copy of [REDACTED] Washington State Driver's License was obtained and it was noted his physical appearance is quite dissimilar from the artist's composite of UNSUB. [REDACTED] has a pronounced double chin as well as a fairly prominent nose. In view of the fact that [REDACTED] was open as a suspect because he resembled the artist's composite of UNSUB and it is obvious he does not, no further investigation will be conducted concerning [REDACTED] at this time.

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12/5/74

SA [REDACTED]

NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
BUfile 164-2111

RE: [REDACTED]

A check with the Washington State Department of Motor Vehicles revealed the following information concerning [REDACTED]

Name:
DOB:
Address:

[REDACTED]
Seattle, Washington [REDACTED]

Sex:
Eyes:
Weight:
Height:

Male
Blue
195 pounds
6'

Vehicles registered to [REDACTED] were as follows:

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Washington license [REDACTED] 1974 registration for a 1964 Ford station wagon, registered to [REDACTED] Seattle, Washington [REDACTED]

A copy of [REDACTED] Washington State Driver's License was obtained and it was noted his physical appearance is quite dissimilar from the artist's composite of UNSUB. [REDACTED] has a pronounced double chin as well as a fairly prominent nose. In view of the fact that [REDACTED] was open as a suspect because he resembled the artist's composite of UNSUB and it is obvious he does not, no further investigation will be conducted concerning [REDACTED] at this time.

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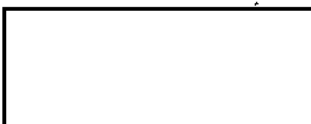
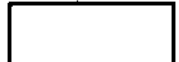
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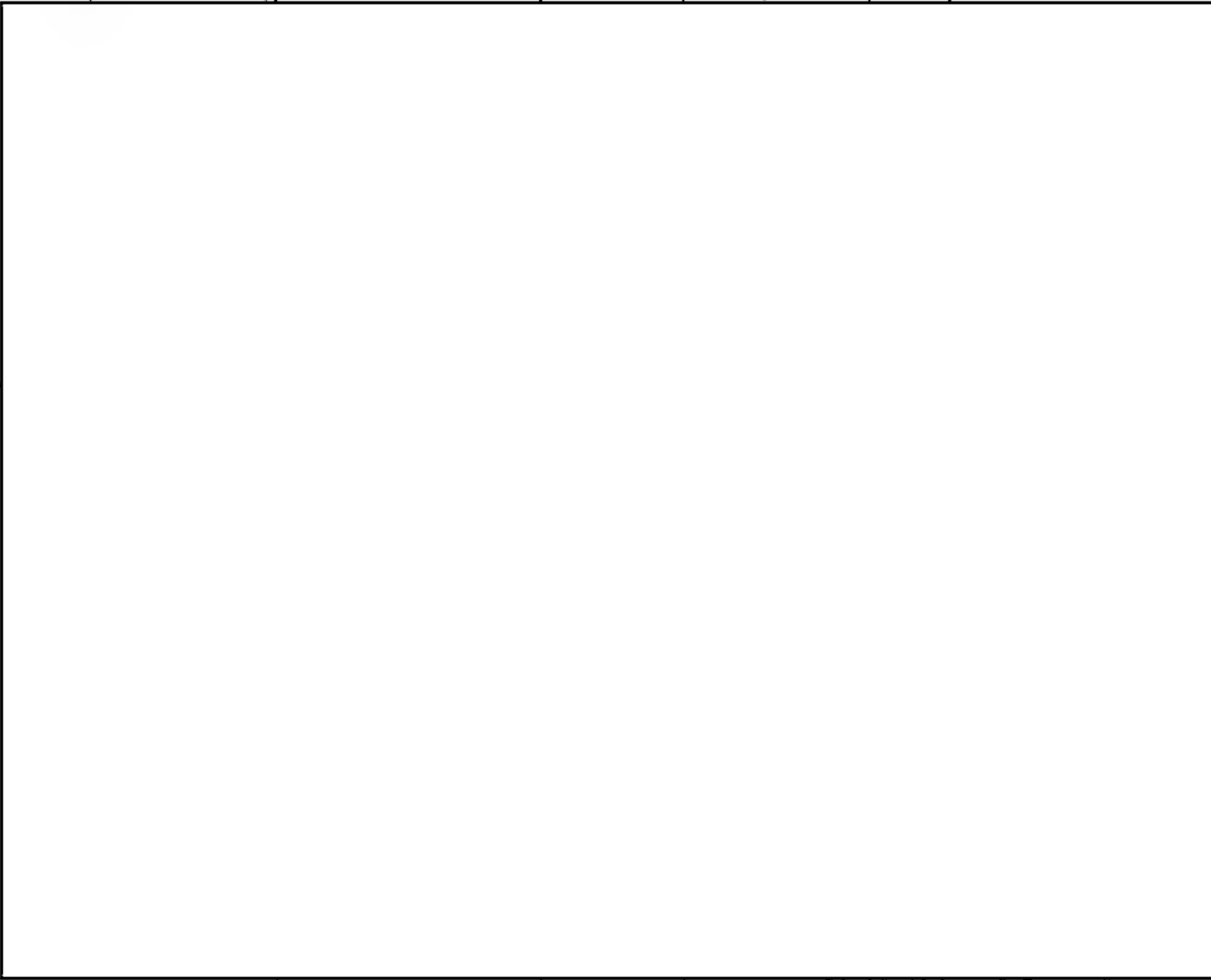


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John Edgar Hoover

2/19/74

AIRTEL

TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)
FROM: SAC, WFO (164-169)(RUC)

NORJAK
OO:SE

ReSEairtel to WFO dated 12/26/73.

Suspect referred to in reairtel is [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Information concerning [REDACTED] was furnished
Minneapolis and Seattle by WFO facsimile nitel dated
12/16/71. Previous to this communication Minneapolis
nitel to Bureau, ET AL, dated 12/12/71, reflected that
a photograph of [REDACTED] had been displayed to Northwest
Airlines stewardess [REDACTED] with negative results.

UNSUB ARMED AND DANGEROUS

2-Seattle

1-WFO

CWH:jea
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DB Cooper-13111

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Date: 12/26/73

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority)

TO: SAC, WFO (164-169)
FROM: ^{for} SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)
SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: [REDACTED]

Re Minneapolis teletype to WFO and Seattle dated
12/15/71.

Referenced communication set forth lead for
WFO to advise Minneapolis and Seattle of results of
investigation concerning suspects suggested by [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Northwest Orient Airlines, Minneapolis,
Minnesota.

WFO is requested to review their file and furnish
Seattle with the name of the subject suggested by [REDACTED]
and the date and type of communication sent to Seattle concerning
this matter.

ARMED & DANGEROUS [REDACTED]

② - WFO
3 - Seattle
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Approved: _____
Special Agent

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[REDACTED]

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Date: 12/16/71

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(Type in plaintext or code)Via TELETYPE NITEL
(Priority)

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TO: SACS MINNEAPOLIS (164-73) AND SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM: SAC, WFO (164-169)

NORJAK

RE MINNEAPOLIS TELETYPE TO WFO AND SEATTLE DATED
DECEMBER THIRTEEN, LAST.

RE SUSPECT [REDACTED]

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UNKNOWN SUSPECT REFERRED TO IN REFERENCED TELETYPE IS

[REDACTED] WHO HAS ALREADY BEEN ELIMINATED AS SUSPECT
THROUGH DISPLAY OF PHOTOGRAPH TO CREW MEMBERS. PUNSUB CONSIDERED DANGEROUS.CWH:dlm
dlm

164-81-6377

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[REDACTED]

12-16-71
[Handwritten initials and marks]

Approved: _____
Special Agent

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NR003 MP PLAIN

436PM URGENT 12-15-71 MAW

TO WASHINGTON FIELD (164-169)

SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM MINNEAPOLIS (164-73) 1P

~~NORJAK.~~

[REDACTED] NWA, MINNEAPOLIS,
MINNESOTA, ADVISED ON DECEMBER FOURTEEN LAST HE RECEIVED A
PHONE CALL FROM [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WEST VIRGINIA, WASHINGTON, DC PHONE NUMBER

[REDACTED] HOME PHONE

AREA CODE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ADVISED HE RECENTLY CONTACTED SPECIAL
AGENE OF FBI [REDACTED] WDC, AND ADVISED OF IDENTITY OF
FORMER PARATROOPER HE CONSIDERS A POSSIBLE SUSPECT IN
CONNECTION WITH HIJACKING, AS THIS SUSPECT APPEARS IDENTICAL
TO ARTIST'S CONCEPTION PUBLISHED BY NEWS MEDIA.

WFO ADVISE MINNEAPOLIS AND SEATTLE RESULTS OF
INVESTIGATION CONCERNING THIS SUSPECT.

UNSUB CONSIDERED DANGEROUS.

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END

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[REDACTED]

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NR 003 PD PLAIN

158 PM URGENT 12-13-71 GEO

TO: SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM: PORTLAND (164-41) (P) IP

NORJAK.

RE WFO AIRTEL TO SEATTLE, DATED DECEMBER SEVEN, SEVENTYONE.

SUSPECT [REDACTED]

ON DECEMBER TWELVE, SEVENTYONE, WITNESSES [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] EMPLOYEES OF NORTHWEST ORIENT AIRLINES, OBSERVED A PHOTOGRAPH OF SUSPECT AND STATED THEY BELIEVED IT WAS NOT THE HIJACKER.

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FBI SEATTLE CLR

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NR 001 MP PLAIN

1:26 PM NITEL 12-12-71 BLB

TO: DIRECTOR 164-2111

HOUSTON 164-118

JACKSON

PORTLAND 164-41

SALT LAKE CITY

SEATTLE 164-81

WFO 164-69

FROM: MINNEAPOLIS 164-73 IP

NORJAK.

RE SUSPECT: [REDACTED]

SUSPECT: [REDACTED]

PHOTOS OF [REDACTED] DISPLAYED TO NORTHWEST AIRLINES
STEWARDESS [REDACTED] ON TWELVE TWELVE SEVENTYONE. [REDACTED]

ADVISED NEITHER SUSPECT IDENT WITH HIJACKER OF NORTHWEST AIRLINES
FLIGHT THREE ZERO FIVE, ELEVEN TWENTYFOUR SEVENTYONE.

UNSUB SHOULD BE CONSIDERED DANGEROUS.

END

FBI WFO SDM

164-81-6380

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NR010 MP PLAIN

807PM NITEL 12-10-71 AGL

TO DIRECTOR, FBI 164-2111

PORTLAND 164-41

SEATTLE 164-81

WFO 164-69

FROM MINNEAPOLIS 164-73 1P

NORJAK

RE WFO AIRTEL TO SEATTLE, PORTLAND AND MINNEAPOLIS DATED
TWELVE SEVEN SEVENTYONE (SUSPECT [REDACTED])

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SUSPECT'S PHOTO DISPLAYED TO NORTHWEST AIRLINES STEWARDESSES
[REDACTED] ON TWELVE TEN SEVENTYONE.
BOTH STEWARDESSES ADVISED [REDACTED] NOT IDENT WITH HIJACKER OF
NORTHWEST AIRLINES FLIGHT THREE ZERO FIVE, ELEVEN TWENTYFOUR
SEVENTYONE.

NORTHWEST AIRLINES STEWARDESS [REDACTED] UNAVAILABLE FOR
PHOTO DISPLAY UNTIL TWELVE ELEVEN SEVENTYONE.

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UNSUB SHOULD BE CONSIDERED DANGEROUS.

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AIRTEL

TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM: SAC, WFO (164-169)(P)

UNSUB, aka
Dan Cooper,
Northwest Airlines Flight 305,
Portland to Seattle,
11/24/71
CAA - HIJACKING; EXTORTION
(OO:SE)

ReSEteletype to WFO, MP, and PD, dated 12/7/71.

Enclosed for each receiving office is one photo
of suspect [redacted] along with one xerox copy
of his FBI record.

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LEADS

MINNEAPOLIS AND PORTLAND: Immediately display photo to
witnesses and advise Seattle and WFO of results.

UNSUB DANGEROUS

- 2-Seattle (Enc. 2)
- 2-Minneapolis (164-73) (Enc. 2)
- 2-Portland (164-41) (Enc. 2)

①-WFO

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3:59 AM URGENT 12/7/71 SWD

TO WFO

MINNEAPOLIS

PORTLAND

FROM SEATTLE (164-31) 2P

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11/25/71
UNSUB; AKA DAN COOPER, NORTHWEST AIRLINES FLIGHT THREE ZERO FIVE,
PORTLAND TO SEATTLE, NOVEMBER TWENTYFOUR, NINETEEN SEVENTYONE,
CAA - HIJACKING; EXTORTION. OO: SEATTLE

RE WFO TELETYPE TO DIRECTOR, DECEMBER SIX INSTANT.

RE SUSPECT [REDACTED]

FOR INFORMATION OF PORTLAND AND MINNEAPOLIS, INFORMATION
RECEIVED FROM [REDACTED] (PROTECT) [REDACTED]
RESEMBLES COMPOSITE AND [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] ALSO HAS USED [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] DESCRIBED AS WHITE MALE, [REDACTED]

BORN [REDACTED]

MEDIUM HEIGHT, ONE HUNDRED SIXTYFIVE POUNDS, THINNING BROWN
HAIR, DEEP VOICE, ITALIAN EXTRACTION, HEAVY SMOKER AND DRINKER. . . .
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[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
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[REDACTED] LEFT WASHINGTON, D.C. SOMETIME LAST YEAR AND PRESENT
WHEREABOUTS UNKNOWN.

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WFO FURNISH FACSIMILE PHOTO TO PORTLAND AND MINNEAPOLIS
TO DISPLAY TO WITNESSES.

MINNEAPOLIS AND PORTLAND, UPON RECEIPT OF PHOTO FROM WFO,
WILL DISPLAY TO WITNESSES. -P-

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FMK FBI WFO

NP007 ST PLAIN

13:49AM URGENT 12/7/71 VAB

TO WFO (164-159)

PORTLAND (164-41)

MINNEAPOLIS (164-73)

FROM SEATTLE (164-31)

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UNSUB, AKA DAN COOPER; NORTHWEST AIRLINES FLIGHT THREE ZERO FIVE,
PORTLAND TO SEATTLE, NOVEMBER TWENTYFOUR, SEVENTYONE. CAA-HIJACK-
ING; EXTORTION OO: SE.

RE SEATTLE TELETYPE DECEMBER SIX LAST.

RE: [REDACTED]

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IN VIEW OF THE QUALITY OF FACSIMILES RECEIVED, WFO IS REQUESTED
TO FURNISH GLOSSY PHOTOS OF [REDACTED] TO SEATTLE, MINNEAPOLIS AND PORT-
LAND, AMSO, AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

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Date: 12/6/71

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(Type in plaintext or code)Via TELETYPE URGENT
(Priority)

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TO: DIRECTOR (164-2111) AND SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM: SAC, WFO (164-169)

UNSUB; AKA DAN COOPER, NORTHWESTERN AIRLINES FLIGHT 305,
PORTLAND TO SEATTLE, 11/24/71, CAA-HI~~J~~JACKING; EXTORTION, OO
SEATTLE.

RE SUSPECT [REDACTED]

ON DECEMBER SIX, INSTANT, [REDACTED] (PROTECT IDEN-
TITY), WASHINGTON, D.C., ADVISED THAT [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AT THAT TIME, [REDACTED]

CWH:sjd

Approved: [REDACTED]
Special Agent in Ch

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Date:

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(Type in plaintext or code)Via _____
(Priority)WFO 164-169
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INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED BY WFO DISCLOSED [REDACTED]

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HAS REQUESTED [REDACTED] FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION RECORD
UNDER FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION NUMBER [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]FACSIMILE PHOTOGRAPH OF [REDACTED] BEING FURNISHED SEATTLE
HEREWITH.LEAD: SEATTLE DISPLAY PHOTOGRAPHS OF [REDACTED] TO CREW
MEMBERS OF CAPTIONED FLIGHT AND ADVISE WFO OF RESULTS.b6
b7CIF [REDACTED] DEEMED IDENTICAL OR SIMILIAR TO UNKNOWN SUBJECT
WFO WILL INSTUTUTE INVESTIGATION TO DETERMINE HIS' PRESENT
WHEREABOUTS. P.b6
b7CUNKNOWN SUBJECT CONSIDERED DANGEROUSApproved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____
Special Agent in Charge

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

DATE: 12/3/74

FROM : SAC, WFO (164-169) (RUC)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
(OO:SE)

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Re Seattle letter to WFO dated 11/25/74.

Enclosed for Seattle is one Xerox copy of each of the following communications:

- 1) WFO teletype to Bureau and Seattle, 12/6/71.
- 2) Seattle teletype to WFO, Minneapolis, and Portland dated 12/7/71.
- 3) Seattle teletype to WFO, Portland and Minneapolis dated 12/7/71.
- 4) WFO airtel to Seattle dated 12/7/71.
- 5) Minneapolis nitel to Bureau, Portland, Seattle and WFO dated 12/10/71.
- 6) Minneapolis nitel to Bureau, Houston, Jackson, Portland, Salt Lake City, Seattle and WFO dated 12/12/71.
- 7) Portland teletype to Seattle dated 12/13/71.
- 8) Minneapolis teletype to WFO and Seattle dated 12/15/71.
- 9) WFO nitel to Minneapolis and Seattle dated 12/16/71.
- 10) Seattle airtel to WFO dated 12/26/73.
- 11) WFO airtel to Seattle dated 2/19/74.
- 12) FBI record of [redacted]

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Re: Suspect [redacted] and [redacted]

Re: Unsub; [redacted]

(2) Seattle (Enc. 12)

1- WFO
CWH:mrh
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WFO 164-169

Suspect referred to in referenced Seattle
letter to WFO dated 11/25/74, is [REDACTED]

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All information known to WFO relative to
[REDACTED] is contained in above enclosures.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE SEATTLE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN SEATTLE	DATE 12/3/74	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 5/28/74 - 11/19/74
TITLE OF CASE UNSUB; aka, Don Cooper NORTHWEST AIRLINES FLIGHT #300 Portland, Oregon to Seattle, Wash- ington 11/24/71		REPORT MADE BY SA [redacted]	TYPED BY ljt b6 b7C
		CHARACTER OF CASE CAA - HIJACKING; EXTORTION <i>Sub GG</i>	

REFERENCES

Seattle report of SA [redacted] 5/31/74.

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

The purpose of this report is to advise the Bureau of the pertinent investigation that has occurred since referenced report. All results have been negative since the last report, therefore, a copy has not been designated for the U. S. Attorney's Office at Seattle.

There are currently 733 suspects, 697 of whom have been processed and eliminated. New suspects are being developed and expeditious processing of these suspects continues.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS CLAIMED					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NONE	ACQUIT- TALS	CASE HAS BEEN:
CONVICTIONS	FUG.	FINES	SAVINGS	RECOVERIES			
							PENDING OVER ONE YEAR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE						DO NOT WRITE IN SPACES BELOW	
Bureau (164-2111) Seattle (164-81)						164-81-6387	
[redacted]						[redacted]	
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Leads concerning individual suspects are set out by separate communication. The results of these investigations are not set forth in this report since today all results have been negative. Positive results will be immediately forwarded to the Bureau.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to:

Report of:

SA [REDACTED]

Office:

SEATTLE

Date:

12/3/74

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Field Office File #:

164-81

Bureau File #:

164-2111

Title:

UNSUB; aka, DAN COOPER;
NORTHWEST AIRLINES, FLIGHT #305
Portland, Oregon to Seattle, Washington
11/24/71

Character:

CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT - HIJACKING; EXTORTION

Synopsis:

Investigation to identify unknown subject to date has been negative. Assistant U. S. Attorney [REDACTED] advised on Statute of Limitations for this crime. Investigation continuing. ARMED AND DANGEROUS -P-

DETAILS:

Investigation to identify unknown subject to date has been negative.

On 5/28/74, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] FAA, Northwest Region, Seattle, Washington, advised that he has been informed that the ransom list in the D. B. COOPER case will be published over a period of time in the "Cross Country News", Meacham Field, Ft. Worth, Texas.

[REDACTED] advised that the publisher is planning to run a section of the ransom list in each edition until they are all published. The publication is an Aviation Trade Paper.

On 11/19/74, Assistant U. S. Attorney [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Seattle, Washington, advised Title 18, Section 3281 provides for capital punishment for the crime of Air Piracy.

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Assistant U. S. Attorney [redacted] further advised that Title 49, Section 1472, Sub-section I, provides that there shall be no Statute of Limitations upon a crime for which capital punishment may be imposed. Finally, Assistant U. S. Attorney [redacted] stated for a crime for which capital punishment is not provided the Statute of Limitation is five years.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE SEATTLE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN SEATTLE	DATE 12/3/74	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 5/28/74 - 11/19/74
TITLE OF CASE UNSUB; aka, Dan Cooper NORTHWEST AIRLINES FLIGHT #305 Portland, Oregon to Seattle; Wash- ington 11/24/71		REPORT MADE BY SA 	TYPED BY ljt ^{b6} _{b7C}
		CHARACTER OF CASE CAA - HIJACKING; EXTORTION <i>Sub G G</i>	

REFERENCES:Seattle report of SA , 5/31/74.b6
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							PENDING OVER ONE YEAR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
APPROVED					SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE	DO NOT WRITE IN SPACES BELOW	
COPIES MADE: 8 - Bureau (164-2111) 3 - Seattle (164-81)						164-81-6387	
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Agency							
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

DATE. 12/5/74

FROM : SAC, ST. LOUIS (164-63

) (RUC)

SUBJECT: NORJAK

Re: [REDACTED]

Reference: Ur letter to St. Louis, 11/25/74.

NATIONAL PERSONNEL RECORDS CENTER (NPRC) RECORDS CHECK

- ☐ File was located at the (Civilian) (Military) Personnel Records Branch, NPRC, St. Louis, Mo., and reviewed on _____ by _____.
- ☐ Enclosed are _____ copies of (Form FD-302) (investigative insert) (letterhead memorandum) reflecting pertinent information.
- ☐ Enclosed for information and reference, subject to restriction stamped thereon, are copies of self-explanatory documents from NPRC files.
- ☒ Personnel, NPRC (Civilian) (Military) Personnel Records Branch, Veterans Administration Records

PROCESSING CENTER, SLMO, advised on 12/5/74, no record on [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] could be located on basis of information furnished. In event additional identifying or descriptive data becomes available, another lead for review of the NPRC (Civilian or military) records should be submitted. Data needed includes: date and place of birth, name utilized in employment, military service, branch and military service number, dates of service or employment, department or organization, specific organization to which assigned with date of assignment, and Social Security number.

- ☐ File has not yet been located at NPRC. A special search is under way, and file will be reviewed promptly when located.
- ☐ File was not located at (Civilian) (Military) Personnel Records Branch, NPRC, SLMO, and should be located at _____

Lead: _____ Office

_____ record located your division. Handle review.

For reference and assistance in handling lead, copies of pertinent serials are enclosed.

Remarks: ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

2 - Seattle
1 - St. Louis

(3) SL FILE WILL BE

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MEMO TO
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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

DB Cooper 13134

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 12/5/74

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
BUfile 164-2111

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RE: SUB D - PARACHUTE INFORMATION

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12/5/74

SA [REDACTED]

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NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 12/5/74

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
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RE: SUB J - MISCELLANEOUS PERSONS
SUB R - MISCELLANEOUS LETTERS

On 11/12/73, [REDACTED] turned over to Special Agent [REDACTED] a note which he found in a bottle at Belbay and Chegy Road in northern Washington. X

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The note read as follows, "dated 11/12/72, in 1970 I stole more money than you would believe!, then parachuted and escaped 3.6 million dollars of unmarked one hundred dollar bills has been hidden somewhere in Bellingham, WA direction, train tunnel #21 north going South under tie #4. Yours truly, COOPER"

The above letter is being retained in the 1A portion of Seattle file 164-81 and the above information is included here for information purposes only.

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Date: 12/4/74

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(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority)

TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM: SAC, HOUSTON (164-118) (RUC)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
(CO: SE)

Re SE rep of SA [redacted] 5/30/73.

On 11/28/74 [redacted] (protect identity) residence [redacted]

[redacted] telephonically advised that from 1967 through 1969, [redacted]

[redacted] who fit description of UNSUB in captioned case in every respect, except that [redacted]

[redacted] He advised that [redacted] had a distinct low voice, a cool temper, and was a loner. [redacted] had bragged he was a [redacted] He further said that he was from the state of Washington and left Houston in 1969.

On 11/29/74 [redacted] was personally contacted and advised the same information. He was contacted [redacted]

[redacted] had a communication with reference to a check of some type from [redacted] Centralia, Washington.

On the same date, records of Houston PD reflected one [redacted]

[redacted] Their file reflected the following descriptive data:

② - Seattle
1 - Houston

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Approved: S/Onen

Special Agent in Charge

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Sex	Male
Race	White
DOB	[REDACTED]
POB	[REDACTED]
Hair	Blond
Eyes	Green
Height	5'10"
Weight	160
Build	Heavy
Occupation	Salesman
Scars, scars, and	
tattoos	None
SSN	[REDACTED]
Military Service	[REDACTED]
Relatives	[REDACTED]
Other	[REDACTED]
Fingerprint	
classification	[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] viewed the composite drawing made of UNSUB in this matter and stated [REDACTED] did not quite resemble this individual but still had a strong feeling he could have been responsible.

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[REDACTED] brought this to the attention of the FBI because of a recent newspaper article carried in one of the local newspapers wherein an article concerning this unsolved case had been written. He advised that [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] have been responsible but had not thought about it since reading the recent article in the paper.

This information is submitted to Seattle for whatever action deemed necessary by origin.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 12/6/74

FROM : SC [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK

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On 12/4/74, [REDACTED] home telephone [REDACTED] (Bellevue), telephonically advised the Seattle FBI Office that although he has not seen the composite picture of the UNSUB in this case lately, the description provided by this writer fits an individual who a few days ago was interviewed by [REDACTED]. This individual's name is [REDACTED] a WM, age about 35, dark brown hair turning gray, 5'10", 170 pounds, smooth complexion but not too dark, oval face which tapers at chin, good voice, no noticeable accent, and a heavy smoker. He has worked in the past for [REDACTED] exact one unknown. [REDACTED] advised that one could probably find out through [REDACTED] currently is a [REDACTED] for Pacific Search Magazine, which is located at 715 Harrison, Seattle, telephone 682-5044. He currently resides in Gig Harbor, address unknown, but will be moving to Issaquah in the very near future, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised that he only has a "hunch" that this person may be the UNSUB, as he is the type who would get satisfaction from any great feat, even if he had to keep it to himself.

ADDENDUM

[REDACTED] advised [REDACTED] has SSAN [REDACTED] is negative in NCIC with this SSAN.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : SAC, NORFOLK (164-41) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
(OO: Seattle)

DATE: 12/3/74

Re Seattle airtel to Bureau, 11/13/74; Norfolk airtel to Seattle, 11/27/74; and Seattle letter to Norfolk, 11/19/74.

For information of Seattle, a review of the Norfolk file failed to reflect receipt of New Orleans nitel, to Bureau, dated 12/3/73.

On 11/27/74, [redacted]

[redacted] Naval Reserve Private Flying Club, were interviewed and advised, after viewing the artist's conception of the subject in captioned matter, that no one resembling the subject has ever been employed as [redacted]

Norfolk has contacted appropriate officials of the Federal Aviation Agency (FAA), Norfolk Regional Airport, Norfolk, Virginia, who advised that no record is available indicating that any school named Corona Flyers or Flying Corporation has ever been located at the Norfolk Regional Airport, and no flying club of that name is currently contained in the official records of the FAA.

On the same date, [redacted] Bay Aviation, Incorporated, Norfolk Regional Airport,

② - Seattle
2 - Norfolk

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Norfolk, Virginia, advised that his company has been in business for 25 years and he has never heard of any flying school by the name of Corona. [redacted] advised that the only school that he has ever heard of in the area that possibly gives parachute training is located in a small airport in the Suffolk, Virginia, area.

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AT SUFFOLK, VIRGINIA.

Will attempt to locate and interview anyone at the Suffolk private airport in an attempt to locate anyone connected with the parachute school possibly located at that airport in the past.

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SAC, NORFOLK (164-41) (P)

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(OO: Seattle)

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Aviation, Incorporated, Norfolk Regional Airport,

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 12/9/74

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
BUfile (164-2111)

RE: [REDACTED]

A check with the Washington State Department of Motor Vehicles revealed the following information concerning [REDACTED]

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Name:
DOB:
Address:

[REDACTED]
Sumner, Washington

Eyes:
Weight:
Height:
Washington License:

Brown
170 lbs.
5'7"

Registered to:

[REDACTED]
1974 Registration to a
1964 Mercury

Registered to:

[REDACTED]
Sumner, Washington
[REDACTED]
1974 Registration for a
1965 Ford

[REDACTED]
Sumner, Washington

Criminal checks concerning [REDACTED] negative.
Credit checks concerning [REDACTED] revealed [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] at the
present time and [REDACTED] in
June of 1970. [REDACTED] former employment was at Boeing
Company and a former residence was [REDACTED] Prarie,
Washington.

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FLM: [REDACTED]

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A copy of [] Washington State Driver's License was obtained and it is noted that [] physical appearance is quite dissimilar to that of the artist's composite of unsub. []

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[] In view of the physical discrepancies between [] and unsubs in this matter, no further investigation will be conducted concerning [] at this time.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 12/9/74

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OO: SEATTLE
BUfile (164-2111)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 12/9/74

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

On 12/2/74, [REDACTED] telephonically contacted this office stating she lives in Olympia, Washington and that she had some information concerning captioned matter. [REDACTED] advised approximately two weeks after captioned event she had a family portrait taken by a photographer in Auburn, Washington. [REDACTED] stated the photographer resembled the composite of unsub in this matter.

[REDACTED] stated the suspect she has in mind was a photographer [REDACTED] in Auburn, Washington.

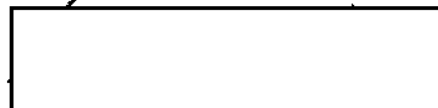
[REDACTED] described the individual as follows:

Race:	White
Sex:	Male
Age:	Approximately mid 30's
Height:	5'5"
Hair:	Light brown or blond
Build:	Heavy, approximately 30 lbs. overweight

[REDACTED] stated the only reason she suspects this individual is because at the time she had her picture taken this individual was laughing at a news story of captioned hijacking. In addition, [REDACTED] stated she did not think the photographer knew much about photography.

A check of the Auburn City Directory, 1970 edition revealed the following information:

Photography Shop:
Telephone:
Located:



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SE 164-81

Shop has since gone out of business. The proprietor's of the afore mentioned shop were listed as

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The afore mentioned information is being furnished for Seattle Sub file J, Miscellaneous Information.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 12/9/74

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

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Located:



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[REDACTED]
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The following investigation was conducted by
SC [REDACTED]
AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA

On November 27, 1974, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] California Department of Motor Vehicles,
advised that California Driver's License No. [REDACTED] was
issued on [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Mission Hills, California.

[REDACTED] is described as being born [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] brown hair and eyes, 5 feet 7 inches tall, and
165 pounds.

Records indicate this license expired on
[REDACTED] and has not been renewed to date.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81 [redacted])

DATE: 12/6/74

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FROM : SAC, SACRAMENTO (164-50) (RUC) [redacted]

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: Seattle

Re Los Angeles letter to San Diego dated 8/27/74, and Los Angeles letter to Seattle dated 11/19/74.

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Enclosed for Seattle and San Diego is one photo each of California Driver's License [redacted] bearing a photograph of [redacted] and two copies of an investigative insert reflecting investigation by SC [redacted] at Sacramento.

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2 - San Diego (enc. 3)
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Seattle, Washington 98174
December 9, 1974

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[Redacted]
Seattle, Washington

Dear [Redacted]

Thank you for your letter dated December 3, 1974 in which you express some well thought out theories concerning the D.B. Cooper hijacking. Rest assured that all leads pertaining to these theories have been thoroughly investigated by the Seattle Division of the FBI.

The FBI relies heavily on cooperation by concerned citizens such as yourself to solve those crimes over which it has jurisdiction. Thank you again for your thoughtful letter.

Very truly yours,

J.E. Milnes
Special Agent in Charge

1 - Addressee
(2) - Seattle (164-81 Sub R)
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12/10/74

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AIRMAIL

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (164-2111)
FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)
SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

MONTHLY SUMMARY

SUSPECTS

There are currently 736 suspects, 702 of whom have been eliminated. New suspects are being developed and appropriate investigation instituted. No outstanding suspects are under consideration at this time.

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AIRMAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (164-2111)
FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)
SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

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3 - Seattle
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, ALEXANDRIA

DATE: 12/4/74

FROM : SAC, ST. LOUIS (164-63)

(RUC)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SE

RE:

Reference: Seattle letter to St. Louis, 11/22/74, copy enclosed for AX.

NATIONAL PERSONNEL RECORDS CENTER (NPRC) RECORDS CHECK

- ☐ File was located at the (Civilian) (Military) Personnel Records Branch, NPRC, St. Louis, Mo., and reviewed on _____ by _____.
- ☐ Enclosed are _____ copies of (Form FD-302) (investigative insert) (letterhead memorandum) reflecting pertinent information.
- ☐ Enclosed for information and reference, subject to restriction stamped thereon, are copies of self-explanatory documents from NPRC files.
- ☐ Personnel, NPRC (Civilian) (Military) Personnel Records Branch, Veterans Administration Record Processing Center, SLMO, advised on _____, no record on subject or _____.

_____ could be located on basis of information furnished. In event additional identifying or descriptive data becomes available, another lead for review of the NPRC (civilian or military) records should be submitted. Data needed includes: date and place of birth, name utilized in employment or military service, branch and military service number, dates of service or employment, department employing individual, specific organization to which assigned with date of assignment, and Social Security number.

- ☐ File has not yet been located at NPRC. A special search is under way, and file will be reviewed promptly when located.

☒ File was not located at (Civilian) (Military) Personnel Records Branch, NPRC, SLMO, and should be located at The Adjutant General's Office, Department of Army, Alexandria, Virginia, inasmuch as Rosters at NPRC-M, SLMO disclosed that _____ is on Active Duty.

Lead: ALEXANDRIA _____ Office

_____ record located your division. Handle review, and furnish results to Seattle.

For reference and assistance in handling lead, copies of pertinent serials are enclosed.

Remarks: ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

- 2 - Alexandria (Enc)
1 - Seattle 164-81) Info.
1 - St. Louis

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DECEMBER 5, 1974/

FROM: [REDACTED]

SAT. 12.00

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ATTN: F B I AGENT.

REGARDING THE NW AIRLINES HI-JACK CASE
3 YEARS AGO INVOLVING COOPER

THIS IS TO REPORT AN INCIDENT THAT OCCURRED
AT THE

[REDACTED]

CASTLE ROCK, WASHINGTON
UNLISTED PHONE NUMBER

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ACCORDING TO [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

CASTLE ROCK, WASH.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] SAYS THE SAME EVENING AND APPROXIMATE TIME
THAT THE HI-JACK TOOK PLACE

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] REPORTED THIS TO THE SHERIFF AT THE
TIME AND THE SHIRIFF KIND OF LAUGHED AT HER.
HENCE SHE REFUSES TO REPORT THE INCIDENT FURTHER

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[REDACTED] DOES NOT KNOW I AM REPORTING THIS.

[REDACTED]

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FBI

Date: 12/13/74

Transmit the following in _____

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Via AIRTEL _____

(Priority)

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TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)
FROM: SAC, MINNEAPOLIS (164-73) (P)
SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

There is transmitted via facsimile for the Seattle and Phoenix Offices copy of letter directed to the FBI, Minneapolis, from the Security Office of Northwest Orient Airlines and a facsimile of a letter received by Northwest from R. H. Investigations, Scottsdale, Arizona. Xerox copies of these communications are being forwarded to the Anchorage Office via this airtel.

In view of the information contained in the letter from the R. H. Investigations, it is presumed that investigation has been instituted based on the information contained therein.

Inasmuch as Minneapolis is corporate headquarters for Northwest Orient Airlines, it is requested the results of investigation concerning _____ be furnished the Minneapolis Office.

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② Seattle

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This sounds like a real hot item.
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NORTHWEST ORIENT

Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport St. Paul, Minnesota 55111

December 10, 1974

Federal Bureau of Investigation
U.S. Department of Justice, Federal Bldg.
U.S. Court House
110 South 4th Street
Minneapolis, Minnesota

Attention:

Dear

Attached please find photocopies of a letter received by this office with reference to our unfound hi-jacker, Mr. D. B. Cooper.

From all appearances, this looks like the best material we have received of late, and I hope that it can be of some value to further your investigation.

If this office can be of any further assistance, please feel free to call upon me at your convenience any time.

Yours very truly,
NORTHWEST ORIENT



6710 E. CAMELBACK ROAD
SCOTTSDALE ARIZONA 85251
TELEPHONE 602/894-3980

J. JAMES ROWAN

JAMES W. HORN

December 4, 1974

[REDACTED]
Northwest Orient Airlines
Minneapolis/St. Paul International Airport
St. Paul, Minnesota 55111

Dear [REDACTED]

On November 29, 1974 I received the following information from an informant concerning the hijacking that occurred on November 11, 1971 of a Northwest Airlines jet in Portland, Oregon:

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] ANCHORAGE, ALASKA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

above described individual was [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] was allegedly signed by D. B. Cooper who is believed to be a former paratrooper and a former employee of an airlines in Alaska.

[REDACTED] who are believed to be [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] are believed to have knowledge of the above [REDACTED] may have [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

The Phoenix, Arizona, office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation has been supplied with the above information and are in the process of verifying the information. It is hoped that the above information will be beneficial in the solution of this much publicized crime and if the information is correct and beneficial in the solution of the case, consideration should be given my informant, who does not wish to be identified at the present time, in the payment of any reward.

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If I can be of any assistance to you or your company in the future, please do not hesitate to call upon me.

Very truly yours,

[redacted]
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[redacted]

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Date: 12/13/74

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(Priority)

TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)
FROM: SAC, MINNEAPOLIS (164-73) (P)
SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

There is transmitted via facsimile for the Seattle and Phoenix Offices copy of letter directed to the FBI, Minneapolis, from the Security Office of Northwest Orient Airlines and a facsimile of a letter received by Northwest from R. H. Investigations, Scottsdale, Arizona. Xerox copies of these communications are being forwarded to the Anchorage Office via this airtel.

In view of the information contained in the letter from the R. H. Investigations, it is presumed that investigation has been instituted based on the information contained therein.

Inasmuch as Minneapolis is corporate headquarters for Northwest Orient Airlines, it is requested the results of investigation concerning _____ be furnished the Minneapolis Office.

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2 - Anchorage (Enc. 2)
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Special Agent in Charge

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Date: 12/13/74

Transmit the following in _____
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TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) [REDACTED]
 FROM: SAC, PHOENIX (164-100) (P)
 SUBJECT: NORJAK
 OO: SE

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

ReMPairtel to Seattle, 12/13/74.

Enclosed for Anchorage is one copy of a letter
 written by retired agent [REDACTED] Phoenix Division,
 [REDACTED] Northwest Orient
 Airlines, St. Paul, Minnesota, dated 12/4/74.

Attempts to re-contact retired agent [REDACTED]
 for the purpose of securing additional information, between
 12/3 and 12/12/74, met with negative results.

On 12/13/74, [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED] Phoenix, Arizona, telephone number [REDACTED] advised that
 he was unable to furnish much in the way of additional
 information from that contained in his letter to Northwest
 Orient Airlines on 12/4/74.

It should be noted that the information contained in
 the above-described letter is based on information furnished by
 [REDACTED] (PROTECT IDENTITY) [REDACTED] Phoenix,
 Arizona. It is important that [REDACTED] not be directly approached
 concerning this matter [REDACTED] the source of
 this information, should be kept strictly confidential.

- 2 - Seattle
 2 - Anchorage (Enc. 1)
 1 - Minneapolis (164-73) (Info)
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Approved: [Signature]
 Special Agent in Charge

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[redacted] reiterated that while [redacted] was
employed by an air company at Alaska [redacted]
[redacted] Anchorage, Alaska,
[redacted]

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[redacted] supposedly signed D.B. COOPER. [redacted] stated that
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[redacted] added that [redacted]
[redacted] is supposedly a former paratrooper as is [redacted]
[redacted]
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ANCHORAGE DIVISION

AT ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

Will conduct appropriate investigation concerning
[redacted] of the above-described
[redacted] allegedly signed D.B. COOPER.

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The following investigation was conducted by
SA [redacted] in Forks, Washington:

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On 11/18 and 11/19/74, [redacted]
[redacted] Forks Broadcasting Company,
[redacted] was contacted regarding information
alleging that perhaps [redacted] might be
identical to "D. B. COOPER" as set out in serial 6323 of
this file.

[redacted] gave the following information:

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At the present time [redacted]
[redacted] who is described as slightly built,
around 145 pounds, 5'7" to 5'8" tall. He advised that
[redacted]
[redacted] and does not to his
knowledge have a large house and new car or an expensive
power boat. [redacted] also advised that to his knowledge
[redacted] was not an ex-serviceman. The only additional
information regarding [redacted] according to [redacted] was that
he was formerly employed by [redacted] in Olympia,
Washington, and came to work [redacted] during the latter
part of 1971.

[redacted] advised that he had only recently
thrown away [redacted] logs and could not specifically
say who was working on 11/24/71.

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[redacted] also advised that in addition to [redacted]
[redacted] used to work for him [redacted] during
the period encompassing 1971. He advised that [redacted]
was an old Army buddy of his and was approximately 46
years old, 6'1" tall, 200 pounds. [redacted] advised that
[redacted] inherited some money approximately three
years ago and that at the present time [redacted]

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[redacted] and recently purchased a new house,
[redacted] would not call it "a large home" but is simply
a new one, which is across the street [redacted]
[redacted] He advised that [redacted] is an ex-serviceman, but
was not a paratrooper but in the tank corp. [redacted] 164-81-6406
[redacted] approximately one year ago
after working for [redacted] for five years.

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[] was then able to locate some pay records which indicated that both [] were working during 11/71, but could not tell exactly what date; however, there was no indication that anyone substituted ~~to~~ either man on 11/24/71.

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In conclusion, [] advised that he was familiar with the D. B. COOPER incident and stated that at the time the first artist's drawings came out in the papers regarding the appearance of D. B. COOPER, it was a "local joke" that [] somewhat resembled the caricatures and [] advised that he supposed that some people might see a resemblance in the pictures with that of []

On this same date, an arrest check with the Forks Marhal's Office and the Clallam County Sheriff's Office in Port Angeles, Washington, revealed no arrest record for either []

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : *[Signature]* SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : SAC, PORTLAND (164-41) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
(OO: Seattle)

DATE: 12/12/74

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On 12/2/74, [redacted] Springfield, Oregon, telephonically contacted the Eugene Resident Agency and advised that he was formerly acquainted with an individual named [redacted]

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[redacted] stated that [redacted] was formerly employed by the Smeed Sound Service in Eugene; however, has been residing in the Seattle, Washington area since approximately 1968. [redacted] described [redacted] as an egomaniac type individual who meets the physical description of D. B. COOPER. He further advised that [redacted] in conjunction with his job, [redacted]

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[redacted] described [redacted] as follows:

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Age	Approx. 34 to 35
Height	5'11"
Build	Slender
Weight	170 pounds
Hair	Dark

The 1968 criss-cross telephone directory for Eugene, Oregon area was examined which revealed a [redacted] residing [redacted] Eugene, occupation listed as [redacted] Smeed Sound Service.

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On 12/3/74, [redacted] Smeed Sound Service, 971 W. 8th Avenue, Eugene, Oregon, was contacted and she advised that [redacted] formerly worked for that company [redacted] however, he left in 1968 and has been residing in Seattle since that time. She stated that upon leaving Eugene, he began working for a company known as Ameeco in Seattle. This company was owned by another company known as [redacted]

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Aeromarc. [] stated that Ameeco went out of business in 1971 and she does not know where [] is presently employed.

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[] stated that [] was formerly from a southern state and that he attended the University of Oregon prior to working for that firm. She further advised that while he was in Eugene he was married and divorced.

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She described him as being approximately 35 years of age, 5'11", dark hair, blue eyes, 160 pounds, and []

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[] stated that she saw [] approximately one week ago and that he occasionally comes down to the Eugene area. She further advised that [] is listed in the Seattle phone directory and at this time she produced a Seattle phone directory and indicated the name and address in the book. His name is listed in the Seattle phone directory as [] telephone []

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The Oregon Department of Motor Vehicles, Salem, Oregon, advised on 12/4/74 that their records indicate that [] Eugene, Oregon [] was issued Oregon drivers license [] on [] He is described as a male, 6', 180 pounds, DOB []

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On 12/4/74, [] Eugene Water and Electric Board, advised that she could locate no record for a [] and she also advised that they have no listing for [] in Eugene.

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On 12/4/74, the Eugene, Oregon criss-cross directory was examined which revealed that the numbers located on [] and there is no such address as [] It was noted that an individual named [] currently resides at [] in Eugene.

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On 12/4/74, a physical examination was conducted in the [] which revealed that the last home on that street was [] and there was no such number as []

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 12/13/74

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK

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On December 4, 1974, Trooper [REDACTED] Washington State Patrol, Kennewick, Washington, advised that from 1969 to 1971, [REDACTED] who was at that time a Trooper [REDACTED] stated [REDACTED] does resemble the artist's conception of D. B. COOPER and during that period of time, [REDACTED] was having [REDACTED] is presently employed [REDACTED] for the Klickitat County Sheriff's Office in Goldendale, Washington.

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[REDACTED] further pointed out that [REDACTED] was born and raised in the Battleground, Washington area and that he is a former paratrooper, having gone through [REDACTED] in the military.

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[REDACTED] described [REDACTED] as follows:

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Name
Sex
Race
Age
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Male
White
Brown

LEADS:

SEATTLE

AT OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON

Will review [REDACTED] personnel record for pertinent background data, and attempt to obtain a photograph for display to witnesses in this matter.

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SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

12/13/74

SA [REDACTED]

NORJAK

RE: [REDACTED]

On December 4, 1974, Trooper [REDACTED] Washington State Patrol, Kennewick, Washington, advised that from 1969 to 1971, [REDACTED] who was at that time a Trooper [REDACTED] stated [REDACTED] does resemble the artist's conception of D. B. COOPER and during that period of time, [REDACTED] [REDACTED] is presently employed [REDACTED] for the Klickitat County Sheriff's Office in Goldendale, Washington.

[REDACTED] further pointed out that [REDACTED] was born and raised in the Battleground, Washington area and that he is a former paratrooper, having gone through [REDACTED] in the military.

[REDACTED] described [REDACTED] as follows:

Name
Sex
Race
Age
Hair

[REDACTED]
Male
White
[REDACTED]
Brown

LEADS:

SEATTLE

AT OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON

Will review [REDACTED] personnel record for pertinent background data, and attempt to obtain a photograph for display to witnesses in this matter.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

DATE: 12/11/74

FROM : SAC, DENVER (164-98)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

Re Suspect [REDACTED]

On 12/4/74, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Veterans Administration Hospital, Sheridan, Wyoming, advised that [REDACTED] and social security account number [REDACTED] was formerly a patient at this hospital. He said [REDACTED] was admitted to this hospital on [REDACTED] and was discharged on [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] stated he received a written request on [REDACTED] from the Veterans Administration Hospital at Salt Lake City, Utah, requesting [REDACTED] file be forwarded to the Veterans Administration Hospital in Salt Lake as [REDACTED] had been admitted there as a patient. He stated he forwarded [REDACTED] entire file and records to the Veterans Administration Hospital, Salt Lake on [REDACTED]. Due to the foregoing, [REDACTED] stated he could furnish no additional descriptive information regarding [REDACTED] but did have a forwarding address which stated [REDACTED] could always be reached through [REDACTED] Montana, zip code [REDACTED].

LEADS:

SALT LAKE CITY DIVISION

At Salt Lake City, Utah:

Will attempt to locate and interview [REDACTED] at the Veterans Administration Hospital and attempt to eliminate him as a suspect in this investigation.

- ② - Seattle RM
- 2 - Salt Lake City (164-24) (RM)
- 1 - San Francisco (INFO) (164-220) (RM)
- 2 - Denver
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI [redacted]
Attention: FBI Laboratory, Polygraph Unit

DATE: 12/12/74

FROM : SAC, [redacted] (P) *ful*

SUBJECT: [redacted]

OO: Seattle

Re Bureau airtel, dated 10/8/74 authorizing polygraph examination of [redacted]

On November 5, 1974, [redacted] was afforded a polygraph examination at the Seattle Office by SA [redacted]. SA [redacted] acted as observer and participated in the collateral interview. [redacted] was accompanied by his attorney, [redacted].

[redacted] a convicted criminal, was interviewed regarding information he claimed to have concerning the "D.B. COOPER" case.

During the [redacted]

The examination consisted of five series of questions, beginning with Series I, [redacted]

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Series II consisted of

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A further analysis of Series II indicates, [REDACTED]

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Series No. III was an identical series to Series No. II [REDACTED]

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Series III, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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There was one change in the questioning on Series III and

[REDACTED]

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Series IV, [REDACTED]

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Series V, [REDACTED]

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SERIES V

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On the basis of Series V. [Redacted]

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CONCLUSION

[Redacted]

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Inasmuch as all questions asked are set forth in this communication, the original questions will not be submitted.

Enclosed for the FBI Laboratory are the five (5) polygraph charts from this examination. They should be returned to Seattle to be included in Seattle file 164-81 [REDACTED] after they have been reviewed and analyzed in the Laboratory.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)(P)

DATE: 11/6/74

FROM : SC [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK

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On 11/5/74, [REDACTED] X
Seattle, Wash., [REDACTED] came into this office and advised
as follows:

[REDACTED] found a parachute in an old
abandoned shack located in the woods near their house. The
parachute, described as white nylon with the words "U. S.
Navy" on it, and has a serial number on it (unrecalled by
[REDACTED] what the number is), was found [REDACTED] about one
year ago but was only discovered by [REDACTED] this past
week when [REDACTED] asked to have it placed in his room. The
parachute does not have a container with it, but was found
in a box with rubber gloves and a plastic case.

The missing parachute in this case - the one apparently
used by the UNSUB - is described as 28 feet, nylon, white,
flight circular (non-steerable), which was packed in a model
NB 6 (Navy back pack 6) container and harness. The file does
not say if the chute or container had a serial number on it.

It is suggested steps be taken to determine if the
parachute in the possession of [REDACTED] is identical to
that used by the UNSUB. If it is not, the serial number
should be checked in NCIC.

After discussing this matter with Supervisor [REDACTED]
it was decided that if the parachute is not that one used by
the UNSUB, or if it is negative in NCIC, [REDACTED] should
be advised this office will contact Navy personnel (at Sand-
point) and let them decide what action they want to take
to recover the parachute, if they wish.



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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81 [redacted])

FROM : *[Signature]* SAC, LOS ANGELES (164-497) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
00: Seattle

DATE: 12/11/74

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Re Seattle letter to Los Angeles, dated
11/19/74.

On 12/2/74, [redacted] Los Angeles
Police Department (LAPD), [redacted]
[redacted] Reseda, California, advised he does not recall
an unsolved armed robbery in the Topanga Plaza Shopping
Center, Woodland Hills, California which occurred in
1969. [redacted] suggested that [redacted]
[redacted] Topanga Plaza Shopping Center, be
contacted.

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On 12/2/74, [redacted]
LAPD, [redacted] advised to his knowledge,
there is no [redacted] motorcycle group in the San
Fernando Valley area of California. [redacted] telephonically
contacted the LAPD Gang Squad and was advised that the
members of the "Gang Squad" which investigates motorcycle
groups, have no information concerning a group called
the [redacted].

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A check of the 1973 - 1974 arrest records,
crime reports, and field interrogation cards of the LAPD,
[redacted] Reseda, California for [redacted]
[redacted]
and [redacted] was negative.

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On 12/4/74, [redacted]
Topanga Plaza Shopping Center, Woodland Hills, California

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advised that in the past six years that he has been associated with the Topanga Plaza Shopping Center, there has not been an armed robbery of a department store. Approximately five years ago, a small shoe store located in Topanga Plaza Shopping Center was robbed; however, the subjects were apprehended and prosecuted.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

DATE: 12/13/74

FROM : SAC, DENVER (164-98)(P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

Re Seattle letter to Denver, 11/22/74, re

For information of Seattle, on 6/26/74, photographs of [redacted] were displayed to Frontier Airlines Stewardess [redacted] who stated that [redacted] was not identical to the individual who hijacked Northwest Orient flight.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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12/13/74

[redacted] Lakewood, Colorado, telephone [redacted] appeared at the Denver Office of the FBI where he advised that he desired to talk about D. B. COOPER.

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[redacted] explained that he had recently read an article which had an artist's conception of D. B. COOPER in a magazine. [redacted] stated that during the middle part of November, 1974, [redacted] went on vacation in Gwayma, Mexico, which is located approximately ten miles from St. Carlos Bay, Mexico. While he was there he met an individual by the name of [redacted] described as a White male American, age 40 - 45, 5'8 1/2", 155 pounds, with black hair and olive complexion. [redacted] explained that [redacted] sold a certain type of fishing lure which [redacted] wanted to purchase. During his conversation with [redacted] that he worked at the South Store, Diamond Lake, Oregon, during the summer months and that he vacationed in Mexico during the winter months. He said [redacted] further told him that he had been going to Mexico for the past four to five years with [redacted] said he only saw once and could not describe. [redacted] said that [redacted] was living in a trailer in the Marina adjacent to St. Carlos Bay, Mexico. He noted that [redacted] had a 14 foot aluminum boat with nine horsepower motor, either a 1/2 or 3/4 ton truck with a low profile camper, and a 21 foot air stream house trailer.

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[redacted] was displayed an artist's conception of D. B. COOPER and stated that the artist's conception was a [redacted]

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Interviewed on 12/9/74 at Denver, Colorado File # DN 164-98

by SA [redacted] :rlg

Date dictated

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AIRMAIL, REGISTERED

TO: SAC, PORTLAND

FROM: SAC, DENVER (164-98)(P)

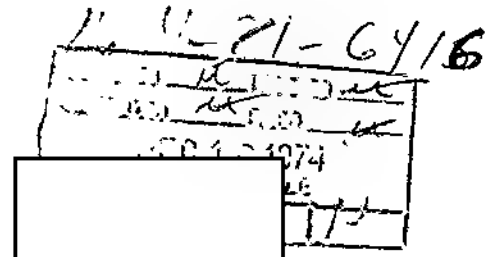
SUBJECT: MURKIN
OO: SEATTLE

Enclosed herewith for Portland are two copies of FD-302 of [redacted] and seven copies of above FD-302 for Seattle.

For the information of receiving offices, on 12/9/74, [redacted] Lakewood, Colorado, telephone [redacted] appeared at the Denver Office of the FBI and advised that while vacationing [redacted] in Guaymas, Mexico, during the middle of November, 1974, he met an individual by the name of [redacted] whom he described as a WIA, 5'8 1/2", 155 pounds, black hair, olive complexion, and approximately 40 years of age. [redacted] said that in talking with this individual he learned that [redacted] worked at the South Store, Diamond Lake, Oregon, during the summer and that during the winter he lived in a trailer [redacted] at the Marina adjacent to St. Carlos Bay, Mexico.

[redacted] stated that after returning to Denver he was looking at a magazine which had an article regarding D. B. COOPER which also displayed the artist's conception and stated that the artist's conception appeared to be identical to [redacted] [redacted] was shown the artist's conception maintained in the Denver file and stated that this photograph was [redacted]

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2 - Denver
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DN 164-98

LEADS:

PORTLAND DIVISION

AT DIAMOND LAKE, OREGON:

[] Will conduct logical investigation to identify []
[] who works at the South Store.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (P)

DATE: 12/19/74

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: 'SEATTLE'
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Re Memo by SC [REDACTED] dated 11/6/74.

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On 11/11/74, EARL COSSEY, Leota Jr. High School, Woodinville, Washington, advised there was no "U.S. Navy" on the parachute furnished to Unsub in this matter.

In addition, COSSEY stated he is currently living at 15010 N.E. 192nd, Woodinville, Washington.

On 12/5/74, [REDACTED] advised the serial number on the parachute [REDACTED] had found in the woods was Navy serial number [REDACTED]. The same date a check was made with NCIC with negative results.

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On 12/11/74, [REDACTED] Naval Air Station, Sand Point Way, Seattle, Washington, advised he would check to determine if it was possible to find out if the parachute with serial number [REDACTED] had been stolen from the Navy.

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The above information is being furnished to both Seattle file 164-81 and 52-0 for information purposes.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (P)

DATE: 12/19/74

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
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Re Memo by SC [REDACTED] dated 11/6/74.

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On 11/11/74, EARL COSSEY, Leota Jr. High School, Woodinville, Washington, advised there was no "U.S. Navy" on the parachute furnished to Unsub in this matter.

In addition, COSSEY stated he is currently living at 15010 N.E. 192nd, Woodinville, Washington.

On 12/5/74, [REDACTED] advised the serial number on the parachute [REDACTED] had found in the woods was Navy serial number [REDACTED]. The same date a check was made with NCIC with negative results.

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On 12/11/74, [REDACTED] Naval Air Station, Sand Point Way, Seattle, Washington, advised he would check to determine if it was possible to find out if the parachute with serial number [REDACTED] had been stolen from the Navy.

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The above information is being furnished to both Seattle file 164-81 and 52-0 for information purposes.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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DB Cooper-13211

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81 [redacted])

FROM : *g/hm* SAC, CHARLOTTE (164-101) (RUC) [redacted]

SUBJECT: NORJAK

DATE: 12/13/74

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OO: SEATTLE

Re Norfolk airtel to Seattle, 11/27/74.

On 12/6/74, [redacted] was contacted by SA [redacted] at the Wake County Jail where he was incarcerated awaiting trial for bank robbery.

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[redacted] advised he did not desire to discuss anything with the FBI, and refused to make any further comment.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEWARK (164-)

DATE: 12/12/74

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FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: D. B. COOPER
INFORMATION CONCERNING

On 12/9/74, Chief of Police GUSTAVE HINTZ, Lebanon Township, NJPD, advised that a resident of the area, [REDACTED] ** Saw. c.* Califon, N.J., recently made application for a purchaser's identification card for rifles and shotguns. [REDACTED] has been a local resident for approximately eight years.

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HINTZ stated that [REDACTED] bears a marked resemblance to a police sketch of D. B. COOPER, which sketch, according to HINTZ, appeared in the 12/1/74 issue of the "New York Daily News," along with a story of COOPER's successful skyjacking of a Northwest Orient Airlines a number of years ago.

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The following is a description of [REDACTED] taken from the ID card:

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Name
Address

[REDACTED]
Califon, N.J.

DOB

[REDACTED]
Male

Sex

Race

White

Ht.

72"

Wt.

175

Hair

Brown (graying)

Occupation

[REDACTED]
New York City

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[REDACTED]

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E. N.J.*
HINTZ stated that he is available for recontact re above at telephone number 638-8515. *X*

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DB Cooper 13213

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEWARK (164-)

DATE: 12/12/74

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FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: D. B. COOPER
INFORMATION CONCERNING

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The following is a description of [REDACTED] taken from the ID card:

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Name	[REDACTED]
Address	[REDACTED] Califon, N.J.
DOB	[REDACTED]
Sex	Male
Race	White
Ht.	72"
Wt.	175
Hair	Brown (graying)
Occupation	[REDACTED] New York City
SSN	[REDACTED]

HINTZ stated that he is available for recontact re above at telephone number 638-8515.

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DB Cooper-13214

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (164-497) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: Seattle

DATE: 12/13/74

Re Seattle letter to Los Angeles, 11/20/74, Los Angeles nitel to Sacramento dated 1/8/74, requesting information concerning the vehicle of [redacted] mentioned on page 21 of Los Angeles airtel to Seattle, 1/4/74.

The Sacramento letter to Los Angeles, 1/18/74, furnished a reply to that inquiry.

[redacted] Los Angeles feels the investigation concerning [redacted] was not pertinent to the investigation concerning the matter.

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2 - Los Angeles

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (164-497) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: Seattle

DATE: 12/13/74



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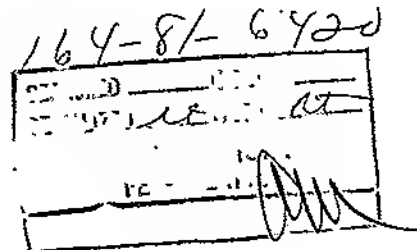
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2 - Los Angeles

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FBI

Date: 12/16/74

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (164-2111)

FROM: SAC, CINCINNATI (164-55) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK

On 12/2/74, SA [redacted] Office of Special Investigations (OSI), Rickenbacher Air Force Base (RAFB), telephonically contacted the Columbus Resident Agency (RA) of the FBI and advised SA [redacted] that he had received a telephone call from [redacted] with an office near RAFB. [redacted] stated that [redacted] told him he had seen a composite of unknown subject (unsub) in captioned case in a local newspaper and advised that he recognized the composite as depicting an NCO who had worked for him at Lockbourne AFB (now RAFB) before his retirement from the Air Force in 6/71.

[redacted] was contacted on 12/2/74 and advised that the composite resembled [redacted] who had worked for him as an NCO in the [redacted] in 1971. [redacted] stated that [redacted]

[redacted] use the name DAN COOPER and DON COOPER so that [redacted]

[redacted] stated that he had observed [redacted] on several occasions.

[redacted] advised that he had shown the composite to a fellow retired NCO from RAFB, [redacted] who also believed the composite depicted a person believed to be [redacted] further advised that [redacted]

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who is still in the Air Force at RAFB would also remember [redacted] stated that he could not remember [redacted] first name. [redacted] advised that he believed [redacted] was transferred either to the Far East or to the West Coast of the U. S. sometime during 1971.

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On 12/5/74, investigation at RAFB Credit Union revealed there to have been three persons by the name of [redacted] to be members of the Credit Union during 1971:

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[redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]

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Records, RAFB, Consolidated Base Personnel Office, were reviewed which revealed records of personnel assigned to RAFB not maintained back to 1971.

On 12/6/74, [redacted] advised that he had been assigned to RAFB but that he was awaiting orders to Vietnam at the time and was not familiar with personnel in the [redacted] during 1971.

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On 12/6/74, [redacted] was contacted and advised that he had been assigned to the [redacted] in 1971. [redacted] was shown artist conceptions of unsub in captioned case and advised that he recalled FNU [redacted] being assigned to the [redacted] in 1971 and that the artist conceptions did not resemble the [redacted] that he remembered.

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[redacted] was contacted and advised he had been assigned to the [redacted] in 1971 and that he remembered a FNU [redacted] was shown

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composites of unsub in captioned case at which time he advised that the color composites looked too old for the [] that he remembered; however, the black and white composite somewhat resembled the [] that he remembered.

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[] advised that he recalled [] as follows:

Sex:	Male
Race:	White
Age:	Late 20s to early 30s
Height:	5'11"
Weight:	150 lbs.
Build:	Thin
Hair:	Brown

On 12/6/74, [] was contacted and shown composites of unsub in captioned case. [] advised that the color composites did not resemble the [] that he remembered; however, the black and white composite did resemble [] described FNU [] as follows:

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Sex:	Male
Race:	White
Age:	28 to 30
Height:	6'
Weight:	160 lbs.
Build:	Thin
Complexion:	Pale, sallow
USAF rank:	[]
Place of birth:	[]
Employed:	[]

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[] further advised that [] had experience in [] at RAFB. [] stated that

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he recalled [] having numerous ribbons on his uniform but did not recall if [] had a parachuting insignia.

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On 12/6/74, [], OSI, RAFB, was contacted and advised military personnel records, Randolph AFB, did not list [] SOC [] as being on active duty with the Air Force.

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NCIC for same name and SSAN negative.

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AT ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

Review military personnel records for [] U. S. Air Force number []
Also obtain copies of latest photograph of []
and disseminate same to Seattle and Cincinnati.

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AT COLUMBUS, OHIO

Contact [] and []
and try to obtain further
information regarding []

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DIRECTOR, FBI (164-2111)

7/31/74

LEGAT, MEXICO CITY (164-38) (RUC)

NORJAK

Re New York letter dated 2/28/74, captioned
[redacted] San Jose,
Costa Rica. INFORMATION CONCERNING."

Re New York letter forwards a copy of a letter
subject addressed to "Time," magazine in New York City,
indicating that he believed he saw D. B. COOPER in San Jose,
Costa Rica.

Through investigation at San Jose the writer
of the letter, [redacted] was identified as a U. S.
citizen employed by the Binational Center in San Jose

[redacted] in San Jose. In April 1974, he was reported
to have been in Costa Rica for some 18 months.

An 4/16/74 check of the Seattle Credit Bureau
concerning [redacted] indicated the following:

True name is [redacted]
[redacted] single; address of [redacted]
Washington, as of 1970: former employment - April, 1972,
[redacted] July 1970 - [redacted]
[redacted] North Seattle. Selective Service No. [redacted]

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(1 - Foreign Liaison Unit)
(2 - [redacted])
(2 - Seattle, 164-81)
(1 - Mexico City)

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[redacted]
[redacted] on
6/26/74, [redacted] (protect), [redacted]
was accompanied during the interview by a [redacted]
[redacted] an employee of the San Jose "News," a local
English language newspaper. [redacted] was with [redacted]
when he allegedly saw D. B. COOPER in San Jose.

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[redacted] stated that during
December 1973, they saw a man whom [redacted] believes
was D. B. COOPER walking in an easterly direction as if
he were coming from the post office.

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When a copy of the artist's conception of the
aircraft hijacker was shown to them they both stated
that there was an overall resemblance, although they thought
the man they saw had a broader face and a narrower nose.
They described the person they saw as being approximately
35 to 37 years of age, 5'10" - 6'2" in height, 188 pounds,
sandy blond hair, short and flat, neatly and smartly dressed.

Inasmuch as all logical leads in this matter
have been covered, no further action is being taken at
San Jose.

DIRECTOR, FBI (164-2111)

12-12-74

LEGAT, MEXICO CITY (164-38)(RUC)

NORJAK

Enclosed are four copies of Mexico City letter dated 7-31-74, in captioned matter, which sets forth results of the

on 7-26-74.

Re Seattle letter 11-20-74.

Bureau is again requested to furnish copies of the enclosure to the Seattle Office for completion of Seattle file.

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 (1 - Foreign Liaison Unit)
 (2 - Seattle 164-81)
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DB Cooper-13223

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Date: 12/19/74

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority)

TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM: ^M SAC, SALT LAKE CITY (164-24) (RUC)

RE: NORJAK
(OO: SE) [REDACTED]

Re: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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Re Salt Lake City airtel to Seattle, 11/26/74, and
Denver letter to Seattle, 12/11/74.

On 12/4 and 12/19/74, [REDACTED] Yellow
Cab Company, 350 West South Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah, advised
he has received no information from suspect [REDACTED] as to his
address at Palo Alto, California.

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On 12/17/74, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Veterans Administration Hospital, Salt
Lake City, Utah, advised the file for [REDACTED]
SSAN [REDACTED] has been transferred to
the Veterans Administration Hospital, 3801 Miranda Avenue, Palo
Alto, California 94304; however, he could not determine to which
division of the Veterans Administration Hospital at Palo Alto the
file had been sent.

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Make inquiry at Veterans Administration Hospital, 3801
Miranda Avenue, regarding the file for [REDACTED]
SSAN [REDACTED] and review same in an
attempt to bring [REDACTED] at a medical facility on 11/24/71,

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1 - Salt Lake City
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and if [] cannot be eliminated by this process, locate and interview him through Veterans Administration Hospital records in an effort to eliminate as being identical with UNSUB in this matter.

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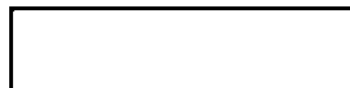
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TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : *ELW* SAC, BUTTE (164-26) (P)



SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: Seattle

DATE: 12/20/74



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Re Butte airtel to Anchorage, 10/17/74; and
Anchorage airtel to Seattle, 11/15/74.

For information of Seattle, no additional information or suggestions have been received from the anonymous female who originally furnished the information re 
 to the Lewiston, Idaho, RA.

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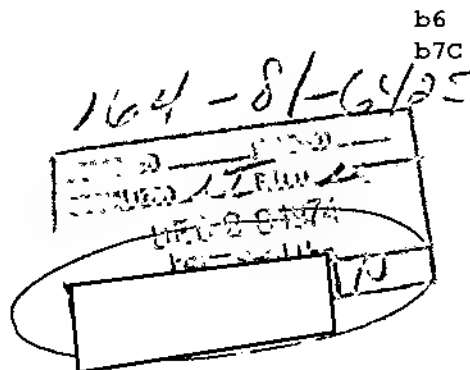
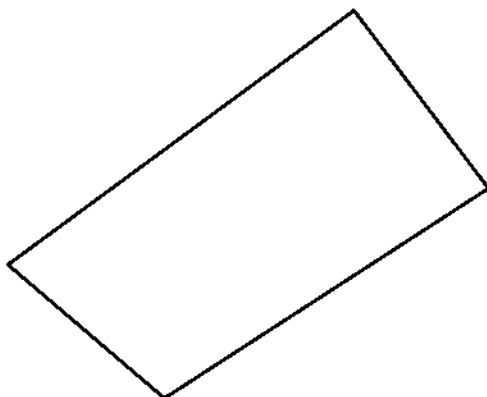
SEATTLE DIVISION

AT SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

Furnish results of investigation to Butte.

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2 - Butte
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 12/30/74

FROM :

SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT:

NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
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RE: [REDACTED]

Re memo of SA [REDACTED] 12/3/74.

On 12/13/74, the following information was determined through contact with the Post Office, Silverdale, Washington, and an unidentified woman on [REDACTED] Bremerton, Washington, [REDACTED] Silverdale.

It was determined that [REDACTED] Silverdale, Washington. [REDACTED] local address is [REDACTED] Bremerton, Washington.

[REDACTED] was further identified by above unnamed woman as the individual [REDACTED] a hoax in which he claimed to be "D.B. COOPER." The woman advised that [REDACTED] whom she advised she has not seen for several weeks.

In view of the above, it does not seem particularly unusual that [REDACTED] might have newspaper clippings regarding the D.B. COOPER incident in his wallet since [REDACTED]

No further investigation is contemplated unless advised to the contrary by the case agent.

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Date: 12/23/74

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority)

TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (164-497)(P)

RE: NORJAK

OO: Seattle

On 12/19/74, in cooperation with officials of the Pacific Telephone Company, Los Angeles, one of a series of telephone calls received by Northwest Airlines, Los Angeles, from an anonymous male requesting \$20,000 in exchange for information regarding the identity of "D. B. COOPER," was traced to a telephone booth in Hawthorne, California. Bureau agents dispatched to the location of the booth, detained [redacted] leaving the booth. [redacted] a white male, born [redacted] and currently residing at [redacted] Inglewood, California, telephone number [redacted] voluntarily accompanied Bureau Agents to the Los Angeles Office and advised as follows:

He made a series of anonymous telephone calls to Northwest Airlines, Los Angeles, requesting \$20,000 in exchange for information concerning the identity of the hijacker of Northwest Airlines plane in Seattle, Washington in 1971. [redacted] admitted he was interested in a reward and [redacted] in Oregon and Washington.

He stated he has no first hand knowledge concerning the identity of the hijacker in this matter; however, related a series of circumstances which he believes indicated the

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perpetrators of the hijacking were [redacted]
[redacted] who have spent their entire lives in the
Oregon - Washington area.

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He stated details concerning the hijacking first
came to his attention about three weeks ago while he was
reading an article in the Los Angeles Herald Examiner.
After reading the article he recalled a series of facts
which convinced him it was entirely possible [redacted]
[redacted]
were involved in the hijacking.

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He was of the opinion [redacted]
[redacted] a white male, [redacted] 5'9", medium build,
medium complexion, dark brown straight receding hair, was
possibly the parachutist and [redacted]
[redacted]
could be involved.

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[redacted] and [redacted]
[redacted] with the first name of [redacted] (last name unknown) X
were described as very close associates. [redacted] believes
if one was involved in a crime, all would have knowledge of
it.

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He gave the following reasons why he believed
[redacted] could be involved in the hijacking:

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1) [redacted] was an enlisted man in the United
States Air Force in about 1956-1957, and he was stationed
[redacted]
[redacted]

2) [redacted] was a long time employee of Boeing
Aircraft in Seattle, having been terminated during a massive
layoff a short time prior to the hijacking. He was believed
involved in computer programming with Boeing.

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3) [] was financially in dire circumstances, would not let the legality of anything stand in the way of making money, and was intelligent enough to concoct plans for the hijacking.

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4) About one and a half years ago [] visited at his home in Redlands, California, for over a month. During a discussion of finances [] made a comment, []

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5) [] legally changed his name about two years ago to [] asking for a letter of recommendation to cover the last one and a half years. [] wanted [] for the year and a half. In the letter [] stated he had graduated from Portland State University in [] and at the time the letter was written, [] recalled that sometime in late 1971 or early 1972 [] in Oregon with []

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6) From telephone conversations [] in Oregon, he had gathered the financial circumstances [] had improved greatly in 1972 and 1973. He had heard that [] after being terminated at Boeing in Seattle, had obtained a position with Burroughs Corporation in Portland for a short period of time, but was not believed regularly employed after that.

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7) [] noted that the name "COOPER" used by the hijacker is [] possibly [] in Lakeside, Oregon.

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8) He has heard that [] (last name unknown) [] owns considerable

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acreage believed on the Washington side of the Oregon - Washington border. He does not know the exact location of this acreage, but it has been described as second growth timber on which cattle is grazed and could possibly be used for a jump site along the plains route.

[redacted] admits his purpose in furnishing this information is for money and [redacted]

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[redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]
the Veterans Hospital, Westwood, California.

He added that he has not seen [redacted] for seven years and [redacted]
[redacted] was an occasional telephone call usually while [redacted]

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He states the above information came to him through [redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted] Lakeside, Oregon. He does not know the exact location of [redacted] had indicated in August 1974 that he was in the Seattle-Tacoma, Washington area.

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[redacted]
bearing Oregon license plates had been seen at the warehouse. From information he received he believes [redacted]
[redacted]

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[] openly admits he wants []
[] but added he sincerely believes
[] is a likely suspect in this hijacking.

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He observed an artist's conception and stated
it does not resemble [] also known as
[] however, the hair, eyebrows, and
forehead of the artist's conception appear similar to
features he recalls of [] whom he last saw
seven years ago.

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He has no knowledge of any parachuting experience
on the part of []

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SEATTLE

AT SEATTLE, WASHINGTON: In view of statements
by [] indicating [] is a United States Air
Force veteran, terminated by Boeing Company in Seattle prior
to the hijacking and []
it would appear all logical investigation should be conducted
to ascertain if he should be considered a suspect in this
matter.

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The setting forth of specific leads to establish
the validity of statements made by [] to establish the
whereabouts of, and possible interviews of [] and
[] will be left to the discretion of
Seattle with exception of the following requests of Portland.

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PORTLAND

AT PORTLAND, OREGON: (1) Conduct credit and criminal
checks regarding [] also known as []
[] reportedly a student at Portland State University
until 1973.

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2) Through logical sources at Portland State University, attempt to establish whereabouts of [] during pertinent period noting he allegedly was hospitalized [] sometime in late 1971 or early 1972. [] reportedly was a runner in track and a football player at the school, who in 1973 claimed to have had a "bout with hard narcotics."

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3) Furnish results of above inquiries to Seattle.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS

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Date: 12/23/74

Transmit the following in _____
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(Priority)

TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (164-497)(P)

RE: NORJAK

OO: Seattle

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On 12/19/74, in cooperation with officials of the Pacific Telephone Company, Los Angeles, one of a series of telephone calls received by Northwest Airlines, Los Angeles, from an anonymous male requesting \$20,000 in exchange for information regarding the identity of "D. B. COOPER," was traced to a telephone booth in Hawthorne, California. Bureau agents dispatched to the location of the booth, detained [redacted] leaving the booth. [redacted] a white male, born [redacted] and currently residing at [redacted] Inglewood, California, telephone number [redacted] voluntarily accompanied Bureau Agents to the Los Angeles Office and advised as follows:

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He made a series of anonymous telephone calls to Northwest Airlines, Los Angeles, requesting \$20,000 in exchange for information concerning the identity of the hijacker of Northwest Airlines plane in Seattle, Washington in 1971. [redacted] admitted he was interested in a reward and [redacted] in Oregon and Washington.

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He stated he has no first hand knowledge concerning the identity of the hijacker in this matter; however, related a series of circumstances which he believes indicated the

- ② - Seattle
2 - Portland
2 - Los Angeles

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Approved: [Signature]
Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

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SAC, PORTLAND

December 30, 1974

SAC, SEATTLE (104-81) (P)

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KORJAK

On 12/13/74, during a speech appearance at Kelso, Washington, SA THOMAS J. MISHING, was approached by [redacted] Portland, Oregon Police Department, concerning the Korjak case. He advised that he has been in contact with a [redacted] who has furnished to [redacted] considerable information concerning a suspect in captioned matter.

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In view of the statements by [redacted] and his statement that he has considerable information regarding a suspect in this matter, it is requested that the Portland Division immediately contact [redacted] to secure said information for appropriate investigation.

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2 - Portland
2 - Seattle (104-81)
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W: [redacted]
[redacted]
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NR 006 LV PLAIN

A237 PM URGENT 12-2-71 TR

TO PORTLAND 164-41

FROM LAS VEGAS 164-60

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UNSUB; AKA DAN COOPER, HIJACKING, NORTHWEST FLIGHT THREE
ZERO FIVE, NOVEMBER TWENTY-FOUR, SEVENTY-ONE, CAA - HIJACKING;
EXTORTION, OO: SEATTLE.

RE PORTLAND TEL CONCERNING INFORMATION FROM

SKYDIVING CLUB MENTIONED BY [REDACTED] IS NEVADA SKYDIVERS,
INC., CARSON CITY, NEVADA. [REDACTED] HAS ALREADY
BEEN CONTACTED AND STATES THERE ARE NO PRESENT OR PAST MEMBERS
OF THIS CLUB SIMILAR TO COMPOSITE PHOTOGRAPH OF UNSUB.

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PORTLAND IMMEDIATELY INTERVIEW [REDACTED] CONCERNING ALLEGATION
THAT ONE OF THESE MEN RECEIVES DESCRIPTION AND COMPOSITEICTURE
OF UNSUB. HE SHOULD BE SPECIFICALLY QUESTIONED REGARDING HIS
ASSOCIATION WITH MEMBERS OF THE CLUB, IDENTITIES OF THOSE HE
KNEW TO BE IN THE CLUB, AND ANY IDENTIFYING DATA AS TO THE
INDIVIDUAL THAT HE FELT RESEMBLED UNSUB.

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CORRECTION PLS LAS TWO WORD LINE 7 OF TEXT SHD BE COMPOSITE PICTURE

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : SAC, LAS VEGAS (164-60)(RUC)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: Seattle

DATE: 12/24/74

Reurlet to Las Vegas, 11/25/74.

Enclosed for Seattle are two Las Vegas teletypes to Portland dated 12/2/71.

Re suspect - (FNU)

Investigation was again conducted in the Carson City area re suspect with negative results.

The trailer park at the Reno Skydivers Club, Carson City, Nevada, Airport, and records at Carson SO were all negative re a

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 11/12/01 BY 60325

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1 - Las Vegas
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DB Cooper-13242

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE [REDACTED]

DATE: 12/30/74

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FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCERNING

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On 12/16/74, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Yelm, Washington, and [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Yelm, Washington, appeared at the Olympia Resident Agency asking to look at a composite drawing of D.B. COOPER. They were then shown the composite drawing and they stated that they had seen a man who they felt resembled this composite drawing. They stated they first saw him approximately two months ago, at VIP's Restaurant on Marvin Road, Olympia, Washington, and they felt this individual suspicious since he was older than them and [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] They stated they again saw this same individual, whose name is unknown to them, at VIP's Restaurant again. They stated he appeared to have been in a fight since both his eyes were red and his knuckles were darkened as though they had been burned.

[REDACTED] advised the following description concerning this individual:

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Race:	White
Sex:	Male
Age:	23 to 27
Height:	6'2"
Weight:	225 lbs.
Hair:	Dark Brown

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They further advised he was driving a 1974 brown Chevrolet Impala four door bearing a New York license plate number unknown. They also stated that this individual claimed to know officers of the Lacey Police Department.

[REDACTED] were informed that the description they had furnished was obviously not that of D.B. COOPER.

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Also on 12/16/74, the above information was
furnished to [redacted] Lacy, Washington Police
Department in view of the fact that the unnamed individual
was possibly known to their department and because he had
offered [redacted]

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The above is being furnished for information.

SAC. [REDACTED]

12/27/74

SAC, DENVER (164-98) (RUC)

HORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

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Enclosed for Butte is an article from the Denver Post, dated 11/28/74.

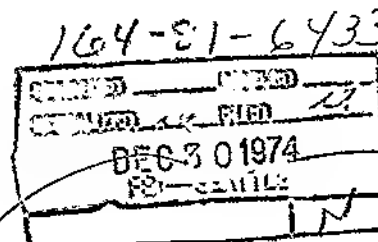
On 12/2/74, [REDACTED] Denver, Colorado, telephone number [REDACTED] telephonically contacted the Denver Division of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and advised she formerly worked, [REDACTED] for KID Television, Idaho Falls, Idaho. b6 b7C

[REDACTED] advised on Thursday, November 28, 1974, she had seen an article in the Denver Post pertaining to a skyiacker, who was known as DAN COOPER. [REDACTED] relayed, along with the article her two sketches of the skyiacker known as DAN COOPER. b6 b7C

[REDACTED] advised she recalled this individual from when she had worked [REDACTED] for KID Television, Idaho Falls, Idaho. [REDACTED] She advised at that time, she used to go by the OK Tire Company to [REDACTED] b6 b7C

[REDACTED] She stated she recalls that there used to be a fellow who either worked for the OK Tire Company or hung around the OK Tire Company, who resembled the sketch she observed in the Denver Post. [REDACTED] advised she was not certain of the address of the OK Tire Company, but it was possibly located on Yellowstone Avenue, two or three blocks south of the downtown Post Office, Idaho Falls, Idaho.

2 - Butte (RM)
1 - Seattle (164-91) (RM)
1 - Denver (164-98)
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DB Cooper-13245

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

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TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

DATE: 1/2/75

FROM : SAC, ST. LOUIS (164-63)

(RUC)

SUBJECT: NORJAK

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Reference: Cincinnati Airtel to Bureau, 12/16/74.

NATIONAL PERSONNEL RECORDS CENTER (NPRC) RECORDS CHECK

- ☐ File was located at the (Civilian) (Military) Personnel Records Branch, NPRC, St. Louis, Mo., and reviewed on _____ by _____.
- ☐ Enclosed are _____ copies of (Form FD-302) (investigative insert) (letterhead memorandum) reflecting pertinent information.
- ☐ Enclosed for information and reference, subject to restriction stamped thereon, are copies of self-explanatory documents from NPRC files.
- ☒ Personnel, NPRC (Civilian) (Military) Personnel Records Branch, Veterans Administration Records

SLMO, advised on 1/2/75, no record on subject [redacted] or SSAN [redacted] could be located on basis of information furnished. In event additional identifying or descriptive data becomes available, another lead for review of the NPRC (Civilian) (Military) records should be submitted. Data needed includes: date and place of birth, name utilized in [redacted] military service, branch and military service number, dates of service or employment, Department employing individual, specific organization to which assigned with date of assignment, and Social Security number.

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- ☐ File has not yet been located at NPRC. A special search is under way, and file will be reviewed promptly when located.
- ☐ File was not located at (Civilian) (Military) Personnel Records Branch, NPRC, SLMO, and should be located at _____

Lead: _____ Office
_____ record located your division. Handle review.

For reference and assistance in handling lead, copies of pertinent serials are enclosed.

Remarks: It is noted US Air Force Reserve Rosters for Air Force Reserve Records Center, Denver, Colorado on file at NPRC-M, SLMO were checked for the name [redacted] SSAN [redacted] with negative results.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS

- 2 - Seattle
1 - Cincinnati (164-55) Info.
1 - St. Louis
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SAC, NEWARK (164-196)

1/6/75

SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
BUfile 164-2111

Re Seattle report of SA [redacted] dated 5/30/73, and Newark's memo of SA [redacted] dated 12/12/74.

For the information of the New York Division, on 12/9/74, Chief of Police GUSTAVE HINTZ, Lebanon Township, New Jersey Police Department, advised that a resident of the area, [redacted] Califon, New Jersey, originally made application for a purchasers identification card for rifles and shotguns. [redacted] has been a local resident for approximately eight years. HINTZ stated that [redacted] bears a marked resemblance to the artists composite of Unsub in this matter. The following is a description of [redacted] taken from the ID card:

Name: [redacted]
Address: [redacted]
Califon, New Jersey
DOB: [redacted]
POB: [redacted]
Sex: male
Race: Caucasian
Height: 72"
Weight: 175 lbs.
Hair: Brown (graying)
Occupation: [redacted]
New York City, New York
Telephone: [redacted]
CSAN: [redacted]

LEADS:

NEW YORK DIVISION

At New York City, New York.

1. Will contact [redacted] to determine if
- 2 - New York (164-627)
- 2 - Newark (164-196)
- 2 - Seattle (164-81)

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SE 164-81

[] was working on 11/24/71.

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2. Will review [] personal record to determine if there is any indication he has had parachute training.

3. Will attempt to obtain a photograph of [] and forward same to Seattle.

ARMED & DANGEROUS.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 1/7/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
BUfile 164-2111

On 12/19/74, [REDACTED] of Boeing Aircraft Corporation, home address [REDACTED] Seattle, Washington, telephone [REDACTED] advised that approximately eight years ago he worked with an individual who resembled the artist's composite of Unsub in this matter. [REDACTED] stated they both worked at the Boeing Plant at Renton, Shop 3940. [REDACTED] advised he last saw the suspect eight years ago.

[REDACTED] stated he could not remember the individual's name but he was a white male, 5'10", slim build and that he used to work with the Spokane Police Department and had had previous paratrooper experience. [REDACTED] advised he thought the individual's name might be (FNU) [REDACTED] (phonetic). [REDACTED] stated the individual would be approximately 40 years old at the present time, had dark hair, fair complexion.

[REDACTED] advised when he was working with the individual, they were working on the production of the 727 and that this suspect was [REDACTED] the 727 and therefore would know the airplane intimately. [REDACTED] stated he was an intelligent individual who had at one time stated to him that he (the suspect) had an idea or plan that he wouldn't tell [REDACTED] but that he advised [REDACTED] would hear about it and when he did he would know who had done it.

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Due to the fact that [] has not seen this individual for eight years and that there does not appear to be any reason to suspect him of this crime, no further investigation is being conducted concerning this suspect at this time.

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1/9/75

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AIRMAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (164-2111)
FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)
SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

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MONTHLY SUMMARY

Re Seattle airtel to Bureau, dated 12/10/74.

SUSPECTS

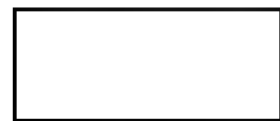
There are currently 744 suspects, 709 of whom have been eliminated. New suspects being developed and appropriate investigation instituted. No outstanding suspects are under consideration at this time.

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3 - Seattle (164-81)
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DB Cooper 13251

164-81-6437

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Date: 1/9/75

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (164-2111)
FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)
SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

*Sub C*MONTHLY SUMMARY

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ARMED AND DANGEROUS

2 - Bureau (164-2111)
3 - Seattle (164-81)
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Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____
Special Agent in Charge

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 1/9/75

FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

Re memo of SA [redacted] 6/26/74.

On 1/6/75, [redacted]
[redacted] Tacoma, Washington, advised she [redacted]
have resided at this location approximately 1 year.

She stated that the name [redacted] is
totally unknown to her and she can provide no information
of assistance in locating [redacted] for interview.

[redacted] explained that she [redacted]
purchased this residence from [redacted]
over a year ago and [redacted] added that she believes
these two individuals have since divorced with [redacted]
moving to New York and [redacted] now residing somewhere
at unknown location in Seattle, Washington.

2 - Seattle (164-81)
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3:37 P M URGENT 1-11-75 LJO

TO: DIRECTOR

SEATTLE (L64-8L)

FROM: PORTLAND (L64-4L) (P)

MORJAK.

FOR INFORMATION OF BUREAU AND SEATTLE, A SKULL OF
A MALE HUMAN CAUCASIAN WAS FOUND SEVERAL DAYS AGO IN THE
RIPPLE BROOK RANGER AREA, MT. HOOD NATIONAL FOREST, EASTERN
CLACKAMAS COUNTY, ORE., BY U.S. FOREST SERVICE. OREGON
STATE MEDICAL [REDACTED] STATES SKULL
APPEARS TO BE THAT OF A PERSON APPROXIMATELY EARLY 30'S
IN AGE. AREA WHERE SKULL FOUND NOW UNDER THREE FEET OF
SNOW. DUE TO FACT SKULL FOUND WITHIN HALF MILE OF
TREE IN WHICH METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENT PARACHUTE HAS
BEEN HANGING FOR APPROXIMATELY TWO YEARS, SPECULATION
AROSE AS TO POSSIBILITY SKULL THAT OF UNSUB THIS MATTER.
THIS UNWARRANTED SPECULATION CAME TO ATTENTION OF PRESS
AND NUMEROUS INQUIRIES BEING RECEIVED FROM PRESS
REPRESENTATIVES. NOTE THAT LOCATION WHERE SKULL FOUND
IS GREAT DISTANCE FROM EITHER DROP ZONE OR FLIGHT PATH

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OF FLIGHT 375. CLACKAMAS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE BELIEVES
SKULL IS PROBABLY THAT OF A LOST HUNTER OR HIKER, NOTING
THAT MANY SUCH PERSONS ARE IN MISSING STATUS UNDER THESE
CIRCUMSTANCES. EFFORTS ARE UNDERWAY TO LOCATE THE DENTAL
CHARTS FOR SUCH MISSING PERSONS IN EFFORT TO IDENTIFY
SKULL. PRESS INQUIRIES WILL BE ANSWERED WITH COMMENT
THAT NO REASON KNOWN TO EXIST FOR SPECULATION SKULL
COULD BE THAT OF UNSUB THIS MATTER.

END.

GJW FBI SE CLR

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, BUTTE (164-26)

FROM : *f* SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
BUFILE (164-2111)

DATE: January 15, 1975

RE: [REDACTED]

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Re Butte letter to Seattle, dated 12/20/74.

For the information of Butte Division, a review of [REDACTED] Air Force personnel file, reveals no record of any parachute training.

All additional information concerning the suspect is in the possession of the Butte Division.

LEADS:

BUTTE DIVISION

At Lewiston, Idaho

Attempt to identify [REDACTED] and interview her concerning possibility that she was the anonymous telephone caller referred to in Butte's airtel to Anchorage, dated 10/17/74.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, BUTTE (164-26)

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
BUFILE (164-2111)

DATE: January 15, 1975

RE: [REDACTED]

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At Lewiston, Idaho

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- 3 - Seattle (164-81)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO :SAC (164-81-6427)

DATE: 1/16/75

FROM :SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT:NORJAK

Re Los Angeles airtel to Seattle, 12/23/74.

On 1/15/75, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] The Boeing Company, Seattle, Washington, provided
the personnel file of [REDACTED] that reflected the
following information:

DOB
POB
Address

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Seattle
[REDACTED] Seattle

Social Security #

[REDACTED]

Height

5'8"

Weight

135 lbs.

Eyes

Brown

Hair

Black

Race

Caucasian

Relatives

Father

[REDACTED]
Sunneyvale, California

Mother

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Winchester Bay,
Oregon

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Employment History

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]



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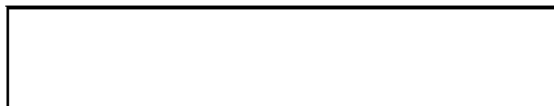
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Employment History
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The file reflects that [redacted] worked at Boeing from [redacted] terminating because he felt he was treated unfairly in his last assignment and generally had conflicts with his supervisor whom he indicated had discriminated against him. At his exit interview, he indicated that he was taking employment with Town Carpets, Seattle, [redacted]. He was evaluated in the top 20% of his section and considered rehirable.

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The file reflects that [redacted] volunteered that he had been [redacted] fined \$150 and had additionally [redacted] with no additional information regarding the location of the citations.

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SAC, ST. LOUIS (164-63)

1/9/75

SAC, ALEXANDRIA (164-RC) (RUC)

KORJAK
(OO: SEATTLE)

RE: [REDACTED]

Reference St. Louis letter to Alexandria dated 12/4/74.

On 12/23/74, SC [REDACTED] caused a search to be made of the Personnel Records Division, and the Locator Section, The Adjutant General's Office (TAGO), Hoffman Building Number Two, Alexandria, Virginia, and was advised that they had no record on [REDACTED] either by name or serial number.

LEAD:

ST LOUIS

AT ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI. At National Personnel Records Center, will recheck records in an attempt to locate service record of [REDACTED] and submit results to Seattle.

**ALEXANDRIA FILE WILL BE
DESTROYED IN 120 DAYS**

- 2 - St. Louis
 - ① - Seattle (164-81) (Info)
 - 1 - Alexandria
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1/16/75

AIRTEL

TO: SAC, CHARLOTTE (164-101)
FROM: SAC, NORFOLK (164-41) (RUC)

NORJAK
(OO:SEATTLE)

Re Seattle report of SA [redacted] dated
8/24/72 and Seattle letter to Norfolk dated 11/19/74.

For the information of Charlotte, a former member of the U.S. Navy appeared at the FBI Office, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, after viewing an artist's composite sketch of DAN COOPER regarding subject matter and advised that this individual appeared to be similar to an individual the source had met sometime in 1972 at Norfolk, Virginia, in which the individual was involved as [redacted] in the Norfolk, Virginia, area.

Norfolk has conducted extensive investigation to locate and identify the individual who appears to be similar in appearance to the artist's conception and is [redacted] On 1/6/75, [redacted] (protect identity) [redacted] Suffolk, Virginia, advised that the artist's conception in subject matter has some slight similarities to a person who has been around the airport in the past but she is positive that this individual is in no way connected currently with the Suffolk, Virginia, Airport.

On 1/15/75, [redacted] (protect identity),

2 - Charlotte
(1) - Seattle (164-81) (Info)
1 - Norfolk
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[redacted] and the Suffolk Airport, Suffolk, Virginia, viewed the artist's conception regarding captioned matter and advised that the artist's conception of DAN COOPER without the glasses appears to be very similar to an individual known to [redacted] (phonetic), aka [redacted] the Tri-County Airport located between Ahoskie and Orlando, North Carolina.

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[redacted] advised that [redacted] is a former member of the U.S. Air Force and is believed by [redacted] to be a former helicopter pilot. [redacted] advised that [redacted] who he has known for approximately 5 years, has purchased a farm and at least two aircrafts during that 5 year period.

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[redacted] advised that [redacted] has been in the Suffolk-Norfolk area as [redacted] off and on but that he has not been associated with any particular flying school in the Norfolk, Virginia, area. [redacted] advised that he has never heard of a flying school referred to by the Baton Rouge, Louisiana, source as Corona Flyers or Flying Corporation.

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LEADS

CHARLOTTE

AT ELIZABETH CITY, NORTH CAROLINA. Will contact appropriate personnel associated with the Tri-County Airport, Ahoskie - Orlando, North Carolina, in order to fully identify [redacted] (phonetic), aka [redacted] the Tri-County Airport and to further conduct appropriate investigation to establish if this individual is identical with subject in captioned matter.

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ARMED AND DANGEROUS

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 1/23/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: NORJAK
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[REDACTED] phone [REDACTED] initially reported that [REDACTED] at Gig Harbor, had some information that might bear on instant. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] had related to him a story that concerned a [REDACTED] the South Tacoma airport. Apparently [REDACTED] had related something to [REDACTED] that was similar to the Norjak. *Source*

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After considerable investigation to identify [REDACTED] he was located at [REDACTED] Tacoma, Washington, and [REDACTED] at Gig Harbor.

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On 12/26/74, [REDACTED] telephonically advised that [REDACTED] and the information furnished by [REDACTED] is not reliable. [REDACTED] advised that he does know [REDACTED] but he knows nothing about [REDACTED] that would reflect on instant matter.

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[REDACTED]

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SAC, BIRMINGHAM

1/16/75

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (164-220) (P)

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On 1/15/75, [redacted] (protect identity),
[redacted] California Aero Tools, Inc., Environmental
Data Center, 1591 Old Bayshore Highway, Burlingame, California,
orally advised that [redacted] was doing some work for
Morgan County, Alabama, and as such, had a copy of some
of the records of the recorder's office of that county.
He advised he had found the following affidavit in the
Morgan County, Alabama, [redacted]

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2 - San Francisco
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BIRMINGHAM

AT BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

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Identify mentioned above, and
ascertain whereabouts on 11/24/71, the date of captioned
incident.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 1/20/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK

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Re Seattle memo of SC [REDACTED]
dated 12/2/74.

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On 1/8/75, this writer attempted to ascertain an identity of individual described in referenced communication at the [REDACTED] Tacoma, Washington. On arrival [REDACTED] it was noticed that [REDACTED] was closed down as a sign appeared in the front door window stating [REDACTED] was closed and the building was vacated.

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Attempts to locate and interview the prior owner of the building met with negative results, as individuals in the neighborhood were unable to provide the owners present location.

Due to the preceeding information, no further investigation concerning captioned matter being conducted at Tacoma, Washington.

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Date: 1/23/75

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL
(Priority)

TO: *[Signature]* SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM: SAC, PORTLAND (164-41) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK

Re Los Angeles airtel to Seattle, 12/23/74.

Portland indices contain no information identifiable
with _____

On 1/2/75, records of the Columbia Region Information
Sharing System (CRISS) disclosed _____ DOB
_____ on file with several references such as _____

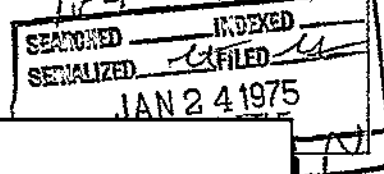
etc.

On 1/7/75, Portland State University Directory for
_____ residence
_____ Portland.

On 1/8/75, records of the Credit Bureaus, Inc.,
Regional Center per _____
_____ Corvallis,
Oregon, with previous residences of _____ Portland;
and _____ Portland, SSAN _____ on file
since 1963. Employment shown _____ Owens Illinois
verified March, 1971. _____
Owens Illinois.

②-Seattle
2-Portland

RPH:krv
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DB Cooper 13267

Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____

PD 164-41

LEADS

PORTLAND

AT CORVALLIS, OREGON. Will conduct arrest and discreet credit inquiry concerning suspect []

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AT PORTLAND, OREGON. Will continue efforts to establish whereabouts of [] during pertinent period of instant violation.

ARMED & DANGEROUS

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

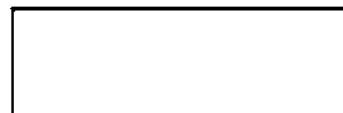
Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : *M/BA* SAC, NEWARK (164-196) (RUC)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
(OO:SEATTLE)

DATE: 1/23/75



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Re Newark letter to Seattle, 1/6/75.
Philadelphia letter to Newark, 11/19/74.

On 1/14/75, Chief of Police JOHN ANDERSON, Egg Harbor Township, NJPD, advised that [redacted] resides [redacted] in Egg Harbor Township. He also advised that [redacted] the New Jersey Auto Inspection Station in Atlantic City, NJ.

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Chief ANDERSON advised that he is acquainted with [redacted] and after observing the composite drawing of unknown subject, advised that [redacted] does not resemble unknown subject in any way.

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Chief ANDERSON exhibited the composite drawings to two other members of the department who know [redacted] and they both advised that [redacted] did not resemble unknown subject.

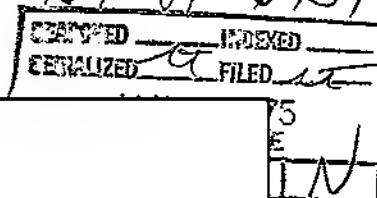
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In view of this, [redacted] is not being interviewed.

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1-Newark
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DB Cooper-13278

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : *M/K* SAC, DENVER (164-98) (RM)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

DATE: 1/28/75

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For the information of the Seattle Division, on 1/8/75,

[redacted] Broomfield, Colorado [redacted] telephone [redacted] was interviewed by Bureau Agents at Denver, Colorado. It is noted that prior to being interviewed [redacted] was advised the Agent he had previously been interviewed by was SA [redacted] stated at the time he was interviewed by [redacted] he did not feel the information he was about to give the Agents, at the present time, was pertinent to the matter. He further stated after considerable thought, he decided that this may be valuable information and provided the following:

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[redacted] stated he is [redacted] for in excess [redacted] in [redacted]

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After the [redacted]

[redacted] In late [redacted] in the San Francisco area, [redacted] to go to Kansas City, Missouri, [redacted]

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[redacted] and took [redacted]

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[redacted] who were living in the Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, area. [redacted]

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[redacted] and [redacted] that was available to [redacted]

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2 - Denver

DWL:sls

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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan

DB Cooper-13279

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NY 161-98

[redacted] only the
Oklahoma address.

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In 1972, [redacted]

[redacted] arrived in San Francisco, [redacted]
(another false charge).
[redacted] allegedly had furnished [redacted] The
police did not arrive until after [redacted] so did not
apprehend [redacted]

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The [redacted]
[redacted]

When instant hijacking was announced by the news media
and it was stated that a person identified as D. P. COOPER had
committed the hijacking, [redacted]

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[redacted] and advised
that D. P. COOPER is [redacted]

[redacted]
[redacted]
to locate [redacted]

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[redacted] feels that the [redacted]
[redacted] contrived the hijacking [redacted] They used
[redacted]
[redacted] They then located
someone who roughly resembled [redacted] and [redacted] obtained informa-
tion from [redacted] as to how someone could exit a plane in
flight and someone was hired to hijack the plane in order to get
[redacted] located, not for the money.

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[redacted] advised he was contacted by authorities while
[redacted] concerning the hijacking, and was in contact

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DN 164-98

with the Justice Department, Washington, D.C., on a couple of occasions. [redacted] in San Francisco he was interviewed by a Federal Bureau of Investigation Agent, whose name he believes to be [redacted]

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The following descriptive information was obtained from [redacted]

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Name	[redacted]
Sex	Male
Race	White
Date of Birth	[redacted]
Place of Birth	[redacted]
Height	6'0"
Weight	135 lbs.
Hair	Black
Eyes	Hazel
Social Security	[redacted]
Military Service	Four years, United States Air Force
Service Number	[redacted]

[redacted] requested that the fact that he furnished the above information be kept confidential [redacted]

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[redacted], but stated he would be glad to appear in a lineup for the crew of the captioned flight or assist in any way he can.

1/30/75

AIRTEL

AIRMAIL

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TO: SAC, DENVER

FROM: SAC, PORTLAND (164-41)(P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK

Portland Office received this date through mail the following letter:

"I have been reading some recent news items, in regard to the plane that was hijacked near Woodland Wash. 3 years ago.

"Would you please give me the description, size, age, height & etc. on the man. You may write me, or have an agent contact me for a discussion.

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"Yours truly,

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"Please keep my name confidential."

2 - Denver
② - Seattle (164-81)
2 - Portland
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ED 164-41

LEAD

DENVER

AT DENVER, COLORADO. Will contact [redacted]
at the [redacted] and
obtain from him his information concerning this case.

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Date: 1/30/75

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) [redacted] b6 b7C

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (164-627) (RUC)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
(OO: SE)
(Bufile: 164-21111)

ReSElet to Newark, 1/6/75. 164-81-10 492

Enclosed for Seattle is one photograph of [redacted] b6 b7C

On 1/14/75, the following investigation was conducted at New York by SA [redacted]

[redacted] Japan Airlines, 655 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York, stated that [redacted] had been employed by Japan Airlines since [redacted] is presently employed [redacted] out of the New York City office but covering the Newark, New Jersey, territory. A review of the Japan Airlines personnel file of [redacted] indicated he had served as a [redacted] in the U. S. Air Corps but no dates of service or specialized training were indicated. No mention of parachute training was contained in [redacted] Japan Airlines personnel file. b6 b7C

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1 - New York

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[redacted]

Approved: JFM/A
Special Agent in Charge

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NY 164-627

The following investigation was conducted on 1/27/75:

[redacted] via telephone stated that he had located a copy of a Japan Airlines identification photograph of [redacted] and he was forwarding same to the NYO of the FBI. [redacted] stated that personnel records were being checked to determine whether or not [redacted] had been working on 11/24/71.

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On 1/30/75 a letter was received at the NYO of the FBI from [redacted] Japan Airlines, in which he stated that a check with their Eastern Regional Administration Office in regards to attendance at work on 11/24/71 for [redacted] had been completed but no attendance records dating back to 1971 could be located. In addition, [redacted] provided a photograph of [redacted]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : *WB*
W SAC, BUTTE (164-26) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: Seattle
BuFile #164-2111

DATE: 1/31/75

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Re Denver letter to Butte, 12/27/74.

The following investigation was conducted by SA

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AT IDAHO FALLS, IDAHO

On 1/6/75, [redacted] OK TIRE CENTER, 1900 North Yellowstone, advised that he recently purchased this business from [redacted] and [redacted] wholesale level at 1960 North Yellowstone in Idaho Falls.

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On 1/6/75, [redacted] 1960 North Yellowstone, viewed the artist's concept of the sky-jacker known as DAN COOPER without recognition. They noted they have never done business in downtown Idaho Falls and stated the only tire company that could possibly be identical with the one described as "OK TIRE COMPANY" by [redacted] would be the Idaho Falls Tire and Battery Company, 210 C Street.

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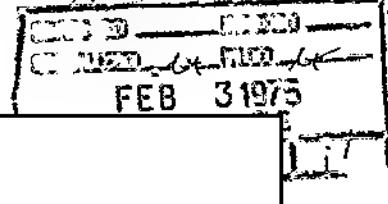
On 1/6/75, [redacted] Idaho Falls Tire and Battery, 210 C Street, viewed the artist's conception of the skyjacker known as DAN COOPER. [redacted] noted that [redacted] but is on an extended cruise in the Caribbean area and will not be available for interview for several weeks. [redacted] stated the drawing of the skyjacker known as DAN COOPER reminded him of a former employee by the name of [redacted] who was employed, not by his store, but by [redacted] OK TIRE CENTER on North Yellowstone.

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3 - Butte
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DB Cooper-13286

BT #164-26

Attempts were made to contact [] and [] on 1/10/75 and 1/17/75, and it was determined that both men were out of town on business trips and would not be available until late January, 1975.

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On 1/28/75, [] 1960 North Yellowstone, advised he recalls a former employee by the name of [] as having worked for [] at the OK TIRE STORE [] on North Yellowstone. He stated that in his opinion the artist's conception of the skyjacker known as DAN COOPER do not, in any way, resemble [] except by a wide stretch of the imagination. [] stated that [] resides at [] in Firth, Idaho, and was last known to be employed [] for the farm equipment dealer who sells International-Harvester equipment at Blackfoot, Idaho, possibly known as the BLACKFOOT EQUIPMENT COMPANY.

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LEAD

BUTTE DIVISION

AT BLACKFOOT, IDAHO and
AT FIRTH, IDAHO

Conduct appropriate investigation regarding [] to determine if identical with skyjacker known as DAN COOPER.

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ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

1/31/75

SA [redacted]

NORJACK
(BU File 164-2111)

On 1/23/75, [redacted]

[redacted] Kent, Washington, telephone number [redacted] advised that [redacted]

He advised that while [redacted] he met an individual by the name [redacted] also [redacted] in approximately 1961 or 1962, who resembled in appearance the composite drawing of D. B. COOPER.

[redacted] advised after viewing a photograph of [redacted] that the forehead in particular appeared to be similar to that of [redacted] as well as did some of the facial features of the composite.

[redacted] advised that he could recall that [redacted] also had experience in sky diving [redacted]

[redacted] stated that he could recall that [redacted] resided at [redacted] Tracy, California, and that after [redacted]

[redacted] he had heard that [redacted] was residing in Portland, Oregon, [redacted] In addition, [redacted] stated that he could recall that [redacted] had an interest in boats.

[redacted] provided the following description of [redacted]

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Race:	White
Sex:	Male
Height:	Approximately 6'1"
Weight:	Approximately 170 lbs.
Build:	Slender
Approximate Age:	40 years
Shoulders:	Narrow
Hair:	Brown (possibly greying)
Eyes:	Blue

LEADS:

SEATTLE DIVISION

At [REDACTED]

Will attempt to obtain background information concerning [REDACTED] who possibly [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Will obtain photograph of [REDACTED] for comparison purposes.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 1/31/75

FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: NORJACK
(BU File 164-2111)

On 1/23/75, [redacted]

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[redacted] Kent, Washington, telephone number [redacted] advised that [redacted]

He advised that [redacted] he met an individual by the name [redacted] in approximately 1961 or 1962, who resembled in appearance the composite drawing of D. B. COOPER.

[redacted] advised after viewing a photograph [redacted] that the forehead in particular appeared to be similar to that of [redacted] as well as did some of the facial features of the composite.

[redacted] advised that he could recall that [redacted] also had experience in sky diving [redacted]

[redacted] stated that he could recall that [redacted] resided at [redacted] Tracy, California, and that after [redacted]

[redacted] he had heard that [redacted] was residing in Portland, Oregon, [redacted] In addition, [redacted] stated that he could recall that [redacted] had an interest in boats.

[redacted] provided the following description of [redacted]

② - Seattle (164-81)

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SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

1/31/75

SA [REDACTED]

NORJACK
(BU File 164-2111)

On 1/23/75, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Kent, Washington, telephone number [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED]

He advised that [REDACTED] he met an individual by the name [REDACTED] in approximately 1961 or 1962, who resembled in appearance the composite drawing of D. B. COOPER.

[REDACTED] advised after viewing a photograph of [REDACTED] that the forehead in particular appeared to be similar to that of [REDACTED] as well as did some of the facial features of the composite.

[REDACTED] advised that he could recall that [REDACTED] also had experience in sky diving [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] stated that he could recall that [REDACTED] resided [REDACTED] Tracy, California, and that after [REDACTED] he had heard that [REDACTED] was residing in Portland, Oregon, [REDACTED] In addition, [REDACTED] stated that he could recall that [REDACTED] had an interest in boats.

[REDACTED] provided the following description of [REDACTED]

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Date: 2/3/75

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TO: *Info -* SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)
 FROM: SAC, PORTLAND (164-41) (P)
 SUBJECT: NORJAK

On 1/24/75, [redacted]
 Vancouver, Washington, telephone [redacted] telephonically
 advised that a person known to him as [redacted]
 at the American Legion Hall, Vancouver, Washington, could be
 identical with Unsub in this matter.

[redacted] advised that money is no object to [redacted]
 who can [redacted]
 [redacted] name unknown,
 each drive a Cadillac El Dorado. [redacted] visits the American
 Legion Hall on 8th Street in Vancouver [redacted] and has no
 known employment.

[redacted] described [redacted] as follows:

Height	5'10"
Build	Slender
Hair	Dark, Balding on top, heavy beard
Age	Approximately 40 years

LEADSEATTLE

AT VANCOUVER, WASHINGTON. Will conduct appropriate
 investigation to involve or eliminate suspect [redacted]

② Seattle
 2- Portland
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 Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

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Date: 2/3/75

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TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)
 FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (164-220) (P)
 SUBJECT: NORJACK
 OO: SEATTLE

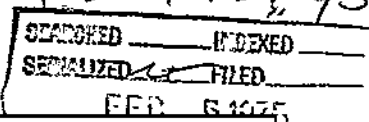
For the information of Dallas, on 1/31/75, [redacted]
 [redacted], Mountain View, California, home
 telephone number [redacted] telephonically
 contacted the Palo Alto Resident Agency and indicated he
 is a pilot with TWA airlines. [redacted] stated while recently
 [redacted] he had a conversation with a
 TWA [redacted] who was previously interviewed by the
 FBI in connection with the Norjack case, because at the
 time of Norjack this [redacted]
 [redacted] California, and is considered an expert skydiver.

This [redacted] who [redacted] declined to
 identify by name, had a theory that D. B. COOPER, who
 is identified as being the person who pulled off Norjack,
 could very likely have been an airlines employee. The [redacted]
 [redacted] deals with airline personnel and would have
 been in the best position to pull off Norjack, because of
 their knowledge of weather conditions and the operation of
 the 727 and 737 aircrafts.

This [redacted] feels that [redacted]
 employed by Braniff, [redacted]
 [redacted] could very likely be the perpetrators of Norjack,
 for the following reasons:

(1) [redacted] is familiar with the oper-
 ation of the 727 and 737s and is believed to know how to

2 - Seattle
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 Special Agent in Charge

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MGK:drp

fly smaller aircraft.

(2) [] is considered an expert skydiver.

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(3) [] would be familiar with weather conditions, noting that Norjack took place in good weather. NO

(4) [] reportedly spent some time in the Seattle area, prior to the time of Norjack.

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DALLAS

AT DALLAS, TEXAS: Contact Braniff Airlines and determine if []
[] could be considered possible suspects for Norjack.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, [REDACTED] (P)

DATE: 2/6/75

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FROM : SC [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

SAC J

On 2/4/75, an individual who advised that he could not give his name at that time called this office. He said that he is well established and well known in Tacoma, Wash., and is not a prank caller. He sounded like a Caucasian male, middle aged, and quite intelligent..

This caller advised that a friend of his, [REDACTED] [REDACTED] about the captioned matter. This friend is in turn [REDACTED] The caller's friend stated that [REDACTED] is actually "D. B. COOPER," who hijacked a plane in Seattle a few years ago (SEfile 164-81), and that [REDACTED] up after he bailed out of the aircraft.

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On 2/5/75, the anonymous caller again called this writer. He stated that after talking to his friend a little longer, he has obtained some more information. The friend advised that [REDACTED]

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and although [REDACTED] The friend believes that [REDACTED]

The anonymous caller's friend apparently has known about [REDACTED] He has been reluctant to notify authorities as he and [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] The friend has no idea how [REDACTED] fit into this matter, and does not know them at all.

The anonymous caller stated that he will call this writer again if he obtains more info.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : *VJH* SAC, PHOENIX (164-100) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK

OO: SEATTLE

DATE: 2/3/75

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

RePXairtel to Seattle dated 12/13/74 and SElet
to Phoenix dated 1/21/75. [redacted]

On 1/17/75, retired Agent [redacted]
Phoenix Division, 6710 East Camelback Road, Phoenix,
advised that he has not received any additional information
from his source regarding captioned matter.

LEAD

PHOENIX

AT KINGMAN, ARIZONA

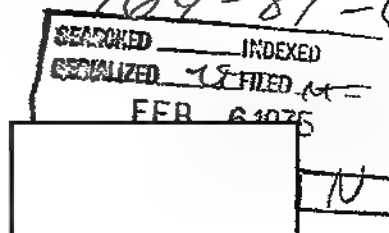
Will report results of investigation per lead
set forth in referenced Seattle letter to Phoenix.

- 2 - Seattle
1 - Anchorage (Info)
1 - Minneapolis (164-73) (Info)
2 - Phoenix

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AIRTEL

AIRMAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (164-2111)
FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)
SUBJECT: NORJAK

MONTHLY SUMMARY

Re Seattle airtel to Bureau, dated 1/9/75.

SUSPECTS

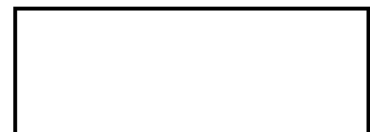
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3 - Seattle (164-81)
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AIRTEL

AIRMAIL

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (164-2111)
FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)
SUBJECT: NORJAK

MONTHLY SUMMARY

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SUSPECTS

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ARMED AND DANGEROUS

2 - Bureau (164-2111)
3 - Seattle (164-81)
-RMH:ccf
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164-81-6461

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

DATE: 2/4/75

FROM : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (164-220) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: [REDACTED]

Re Salt Lake City airtel to Seattle, 12/19/74.

On 1/28/75, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Veterans Administration Hospital (VAH) 3801
Miranda Avenue, Palo Alto, advised that [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] had been
discharged from the VAH facility in Palo Alto on [REDACTED]
having been transferred to the VAH facility in Menlo
Park, California. She stated however that he had been
discharged from that facility on [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] reviewed the file for [REDACTED]
and provided the following information concerning [REDACTED]
location at VAH facilities during 1971:

She stated that from [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] had been a patient at the VAH facility in Miami,
Florida; [REDACTED] at New Orleans, Louis-
iana; [REDACTED] at Houston, Texas; [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] at Spokane, Washington.

[REDACTED] stated that a review of [REDACTED] file in-
dicates that he has been a patient [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] stating that he has an exten-
sive history of having been a patient at various VAH
facilities throughout the United States. She stated
that [REDACTED] lists a local address currently of [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] San Mateo and lists [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Spokane, Washing-
ton, telephone number [REDACTED]

2 - Seattle
2 - San Francisco
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In view of the fact that medical records fail to indicate [] was in a VAM medical facility on 11/24/71, it is necessary to interview him concerning his whereabouts and activities on that date.

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LEADS

SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

AT SAN MATEO, CALIFORNIA. Will interview [] concerning his whereabouts on 11/24/71.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)(P)

DATE: 2/8/75

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FROM :

SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: NORJAK

On 2/8/75, writer received call from Washington State Trooper [redacted] Port Angeles, Washington X
advising he had received information from [redacted] an Source
acquaintance, who had information concerning an individual
who might be identical to "D.B. COOPER". He suggested
[redacted] be contacted to determine if the information is of
any value.

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[redacted] can be reached at telephone [redacted] X
Port Angeles, Washington.

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JWM:jm
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SA [REDACTED]

NORJAK

On 2/8/75, writer received call from Washington State Trooper [REDACTED] Port Angeles, Washington advising he had received information from [REDACTED] an acquaintance, who had information concerning an individual who might be identical to "D.B. COOPER". He suggested [REDACTED] be contacted to determine if the information is of any value.

NOTE: [REDACTED] can be reached at telephone [REDACTED]
Port ~~Angeles~~, Washington.

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2- Seattle file 164-81
JWM:jm
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[REDACTED]

Federal Bureau of Investigation
1323 Gray Avenue,
Yuba City, Ca. 95991

To whom it may concern:

Everytime I read something about D. B. Cooper the first Air Plane Hijacker, most especially when I see the composite picture of him, a name comes to my mind that fits that picture.

It was in the early nineteen-sixties when I first met this man. I did not know him very long. He said [REDACTED] He was supposed to [REDACTED] He also was a pilot. I did not see him do any of these things. He had connections in Nevada. I do know the name of a bar he and a partner were supposed to own. I remember the first name of the partner. I know the town where he said he rented a plane to fly to Nevada.

The reason that I haven't said anything about this before is, I called the Bar but no one had heard of him. I made a person to person call. I have always felt the name he gave me was not his real one. I also feel kinda foolish, but, I cannot shake this feeling that I know this man everytime I see his face.

He seemed to have money. Quite a lot of it.

This was a smart and intelligent man but, I did have the feeling, something wasn't exactly kosher with him.

If you feel I may be of any help, I will gladly tell you what I know.

Unlisted Telephone:

Sincerely,

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[REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE

DATE: 2/3/75

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FROM : SAC, SACRAMENTO (164-50) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: Seattle

Enclosed for Seattle and Las Vegas are two copies of a letter received by Sacramento Division from [redacted]

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On 1/29/75, [redacted] was contacted by SA [redacted]. [redacted] advised that in [redacted] and was living in Oroville, California, where she met a subject by the name of [redacted] told her that [redacted] told her that he [redacted] Elko, Nevada, along with a [redacted] last name unknown.

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[redacted] said that [redacted] told her that he had been [redacted]. She said he seemed to always have a lot of spending money. She said that after she had [redacted] she had received a call from [redacted] who said he was in Montana and that he needed some money. She refused to loan him any and has not heard from him since. [redacted] said that she has seen the composite pictures of the hijacker in the D. B. COOPER case and she thinks he resembles [redacted] said she believes that she remembers reading a few years ago that [redacted]

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- 2 - Seattle (Enc. 2)
- 2 - Las Vegas (Enc. 2)
- 3 - Sacramento

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SC 164-50

[] described [] as follows:

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Height	6 feet
Build	Medium
Hair	Short brown
Characteristics	[]

LEADS:

SEATTLE

AT SEATTLE, WASHINGTON: Determine if []
[] is identical with any of the previous suspects in
this case.

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LAS VEGAS

AT ELKO, NEVADA: Will determine who owned
the [] If []
[] determine what became of him.

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(2) Will conduct Credit and Arrest checks on
[] and obtain a
photograph if available, and full descriptive data.

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SACRAMENTO

AT OROVILLE, CALIFORNIA: Will conduct credit
and arrest checks on [] as per Elko lead.

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AT [] Will display FBI
composite pictures to []
phone []

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Transmit in _____ Via AIRTEL

(Type in plaintext or code)

(Precedence)

10/8/74

(Date)

To: SAC, Seattle (164-81) []

From: Director, FBI (164-2111)

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NORJAK

OO: SE

ReSEairtel to the Bureau dated 9/30/74.

Bureau authority granted for polygraph examination of
 [] SA [] a qualified examiner
 assigned to your Office, will conduct the examination. Insure
 appropriate waiver obtained and advise Bureau of results.

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10/8/74

To: SAC, Seattle (164-81) [redacted]

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From: Director, FBI (164-211)

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OO: SE



ReSFairtel to the Bureau dated 9/30/74.

Bureau authority granted for polygraph examination of
[redacted] SA [redacted] a qualified examiner
assigned to your Office, will conduct the examination. Insure
appropriate waiver obtained and advise Bureau of results.

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FBI - SEATTLE
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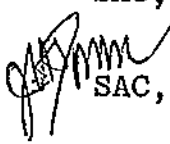
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM :  SAC, MINNEAPOLIS (164-73) (P)



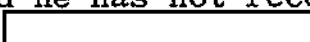
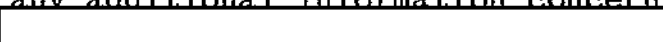
SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: Seattle

DATE: February 7, 1975




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Reference Phoenix airtel to Seattle dated December 13, 1974.

On January 28, 1975, 
 Northwest Orient Airlines, St. Paul, Minnesota, was recontacted and advised he has not received any additional information concerning 
 retired Special Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

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 stated Northwest Orient Airlines is currently attempting to settle an insurance claim concerning the money paid in this case and would appreciate being kept up to date on any investigation or information the Federal Bureau of Investigation receives and that he would also furnish the Federal Bureau of Investigation any information concerning captioned case.

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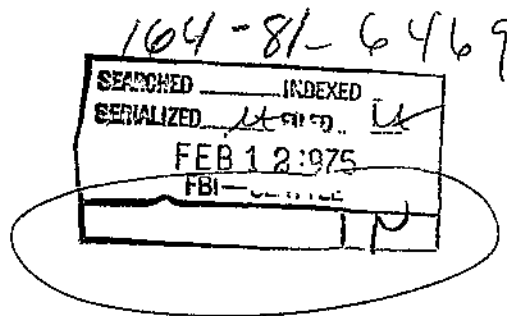
Minneapolis investigation continuing.

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2 - Phoenix (164-100)
2 - Minneapolis
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AIRTEL

AIR MAIL

TO: SAC, SAVANNAH (164-29)
FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)
SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: Seattle

RE: [REDACTED]

Re Seattle airtel to Savannah, dated 12/22/72,
Seattle airtel to Bureau and Savannah, dated 4/4/73.

[REDACTED] has been discharged from the military
service in [REDACTED] and a review of his Personnel File indi-
cates his [REDACTED] field file is possibly located at

[REDACTED] Savannah, Georgia.

LEADS:

SAVANNAH

AT SAVANNAH, GEORGIA

1. Contact [REDACTED] and through
his field file, attempt to ascertain, if possible, whether
[REDACTED] was on leave on 11/24/71.

2. Will obtain from [REDACTED]
his current address and will thereafter interview him
concerning his possible involvement in captioned crime.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

2 - Savannah
3 - Seattle
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DB Cooper-13320

2/12/75

AIRTEL

AIR MAIL

TO: SAC, SAVANNAH (164-29) [REDACTED]
FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)
SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: Seattle

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RE: [REDACTED]

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Re Seattle airtel to Savannah, dated 12/22/72,
Seattle airtel to Bureau and Savannah, dated 4/4/73.

[REDACTED] has been discharged from the military
service in [REDACTED] and a review of his Personnel File indi-
cates his [REDACTED] field file is possibly located at

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[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Savannah, Georgia.

LEADS:

SAVANNAH

AT SAVANNAH, GEORGIA

1. Contact [REDACTED] and through
his field file, attempt to ascertain, if possible, whether
[REDACTED] was on leave on 11/24/71.

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his current address and will thereafter interview him
concerning his possible involvement in captioned crime.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

2 - Savannah
3 - Seattle
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DB Cooper 13321

164-81-6470

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81 [REDACTED]) (P) DATE: 2/13/75

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FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE [REDACTED]

RE: [REDACTED]

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In view of the fact that a lie detector test given at Seattle, Washington, on November 5, 1974, has indicated [REDACTED] is practicing deception concerning information he has provided pertinent to the NORJAK hijacking, no further investigation will be conducted into this particular aspect of this investigation.

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ELIMINATING

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SAC, SEATTLE (164-81 [redacted]) (P)

2/13/75

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SA [redacted]

NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: [redacted]

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In view of the fact that a lie detector test given at Seattle, Washington, on November 5, 1974, has indicated [redacted] is practicing deception concerning information he has provided pertinent to the NORJAK hijacking, no further investigation will be conducted into this particular aspect of this investigation.

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ARMED AND DANGEROUS

3 - Seattle
RNN:skh
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SAC, SEATTLE (164-81 [redacted]) (P)

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SA [redacted]

NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: [redacted]

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A thorough investigation of suspect [redacted] has failed to indicate any evidence that [redacted] is identical with unsub in this matter. [redacted] California driver's license reveals he is a white male, brown hair, hazel eyes, height 6'2", weight 200 lbs., his date of birth [redacted] his address is [redacted] Norwalk, California, [redacted] His photograph indicates he does not resemble the artist's composite of unsub in this matter.

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In view of the above, no further investigation concerning suspect [redacted] will be undertaken at this time.

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3 - Seattle
RNN:skh
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DB Cooper-13324

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81 [REDACTED]) (P) DATE: 2/13/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

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RE: [REDACTED]

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Re memo of SA [REDACTED] dated 1/9/75.

All efforts to locate the former resident at [REDACTED] Tacoma, Washington had proved negative. In view of the fact that this suspect has been suggested because of [REDACTED] as well as his apparent resemblance to the artists composite of Unsub, and finally the fact that this individual moved away approximately at the time of NORJAK, and because of the fact that all logical investigation has been conducted in order to identify this individual with negative results, no further investigation will be conducted at this time.

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ELIMINATE

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81 [REDACTED]) (P) DATE: 2/13/75

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FROM :

SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT:

NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: [REDACTED]

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Re memo of SA [REDACTED] dated 1/9/75.

All efforts to locate the former resident at [REDACTED] Tacoma, Washington had proved negative. In view of the fact that this suspect has been suggested because of [REDACTED] as well as his apparent resemblance to the artists composite of Unsub, and finally the fact that this individual moved away approximately at the time of NORJAK, and because of the fact that all logical investigation has been conducted in order to identify this individual with negative results, no further investigation will be conducted at this time.

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E. J. [Signature]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81 [REDACTED]) (P) DATE: 2/13/75

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FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: [REDACTED]

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A thorough investigation of suspect [REDACTED] has failed to indicate any evidence that [REDACTED] is identical with unsub in this matter. [REDACTED] California driver's license reveals he is a white male, brown hair, hazel eyes, height 6'2", weight 200 lbs., his date of birth [REDACTED], his address is [REDACTED] Norwalk, California, [REDACTED]. His photograph indicates he does not resemble the artist's composite of unsub in this matter.

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In view of the above, no further investigation concerning suspect [REDACTED] will be undertaken at this time.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS

Encl.

(3) - Seattle

RNN:skh

(3) [REDACTED]



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Date: 2/10/75

Transmit the following in _____
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(Priority)

TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

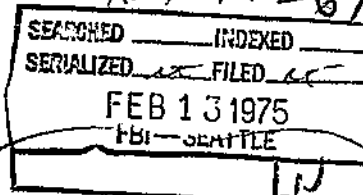
FROM: SAC, DENVER (164-98)

SUBJECT: NORJAK

Re Portland airtel to Denver, dated 1/30/75.

For information of Seattle and Portland Divisions, on 2/5/75, [REDACTED] (PROTECT IDENTITY), [REDACTED], Worland, Wyoming, [REDACTED] was interviewed at Stapleton International Airport (SIA), Denver, Colorado. [REDACTED] advised that for some time, he has had as a suspect in NORJAK one [REDACTED] described as a WMA, 5'9" to 5'10", 160 pounds, stocky build, approximately 45 years of age, brown eyes, thinning hair, who apparently is [REDACTED] who has had experience in skydiving and [REDACTED] recalled that when [REDACTED] that he made statements to numerous individuals [REDACTED] also stated that [REDACTED] while in the military service [REDACTED] Worland, Wyoming. [REDACTED] stated that subsequently [REDACTED]

2 - Seattle (AM, RM)
 1 - Portland (Info) (164-41) (AM, RM)
 3 - Denver
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Approved: RJM
 Special Agent in Charge

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[] stated that he is definitely certain that during the time of the skyjacking that [] was not in the Worland, Wyoming area. He also said that [] whose [] Worland, Wyoming, [] in Worland during the Fall of 1974 and has since moved to Canada. [] said that during []

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[] was subsequently showed an artist's conception of the individual known as D. B. COOPER and stated that the mouth, ears and hairline of [] bear an amazing similarity to the individual known to him as []

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LEADS:

THE DENVER DIVISION

AT CHEYENNE, WYOMING: Will through Department of Motor Vehicles, obtain 10 copies of driver's license photograph of [] and furnish to the Denver and Seattle Divisions.

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AT WORLAND, WYOMING: Will contact [] [] Worland, and interview them regarding the location [] during the skyjacking of the Northwest Orient and also determine [] current whereabouts.

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AT DENVER, COLORADO: Will display photographs of [] to Frontier Airlines Stewardess [] []

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 2/14/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

Sus J
S.P.

RE: SUB J AND SUB P

[REDACTED] Fife, Washington, telephone [REDACTED] advised that while hunting in the Cinebar, Washington area he found a large plane part. [REDACTED] stated he works at Boeing and he took the part number from the part and checked with the 727 Section of Boeing and found this part to be from a 727. [REDACTED] advised he thought this part might be connected with the D.B. COOPER Hijacking.

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[REDACTED] stated the part was approximately 8" wide by 40" long and fit directly above the rear stairs door.

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[REDACTED] was advised that no part that large was missing from the 727 involved in the Norjak Hijacking.

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2/11/75

AIRTEL

AIRMAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (164-2111)

FROM: SAC, KANSAS CITY (164-80) P

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Enclosed to Seattle are four photographs of [redacted] 164-81-1a 495

On 2/7/75, [redacted] Kansas City, Missouri, [redacted] of Goodwill Industries, was brought to the Kansas City Office by [redacted] Kansas City, Missouri, Police Department. There she related the following information to [redacted] and SA [redacted]

On [redacted] who was employed by the Kansas City Star [redacted] when she [redacted] for Goodwill Industries. During a party [redacted] in May, 1974, the conversation led to the subject of hijackings, and someone said jokingly, "Let's hijack an airplane." Someone else then inquired as to whether the authorities ever caught that man COOPER who jumped out of the airplane with all the money. [redacted] at this point, [redacted] dropped completely out of the conversation, and within one week [redacted] has not been heard from since.

[redacted] described [redacted] as follows:

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② Seattle (164-31) (Encs. 4)
2 Kansas City
JVL:dln
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KC 164-80

Race	White	
Sex	Male	
DOB		b6 b7C
Height	6'	
Weight	225 pounds (gained 40 pounds since 1973)	
Hair	Dark brown; wavy	
Eyes	Brown	
Complexion	Smooth and dark	
Scars and marks		
Characteristics	Frequently wears sunglasses; wore mustache and neatly trimmed beard (shaved off just before his departure)	
SSAN		
Occupations		
Former Addresses		
	Kansas City, Missouri;	
	Oklahoma City,	
	Oklahoma; Pueblo, Colorado;	
	Colorado; Oakland, California (1971)	
Ex-wife		
Daughter		
Aliases		

The names [redacted] obtained from motel receipts found in his personal effects. [redacted] alleges that [redacted] used the name [redacted] when talking to unknown persons on the telephone.

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[redacted] further stated that [redacted] is in possession of snapshots of himself showing that in the recent past he weighed no more than 170-180 pounds. She made available the enclosed photographs of [redacted] and stated that she had not made his disappearance and behavior known to the authorities before now because [redacted] of Goodwill Industries [redacted]

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AT SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

Display photographs of [redacted] to appropriate witnesses keeping in mind that he was much lighter in 1971. It is requested that the photographs be returned to the Kansas City Office as soon as possible.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 2/19/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: NORJAK

Re: [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Re memo of SA [REDACTED] dated 7/3/74.

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On 11/25/74, [REDACTED] Boeing Aircraft Corporation, made available the personnel file for [REDACTED]. A review of this file indicated the following concerning [REDACTED]

Name
Date of Birth
Height
Weight
Hair
Eyes
Place of Birth
Social Security Number
Military Service

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
5'10"
135 pounds
Brown
Blue

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Sister
Brother-in-law
Wife
Miscellaneous

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] gave Boeing written notice on [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] at the Boeing Office in person on [REDACTED] five days after the hijacking. A review of his record indicated [REDACTED] was off from work on 11/24, 25, 26, 27, and 28/71.

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On 11/25/74, [REDACTED] Seattle Police Department, advised he currently lives [REDACTED] in Kirkland, Washington. [REDACTED] stated [REDACTED] stated in his opinion [REDACTED] does not look like

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the composite of unsub in this matter. [redacted] stated as far as he remembers, [redacted] was not missing around Thanksgiving 1971 nor did he have any injuries or scratches that were apparent to him [redacted] at that time.

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[redacted] stated [redacted] complexion is not sworthy, however, [redacted] did describe his complexion as being jaundiced. [redacted] described [redacted] as 5'10", 175 to 180 pounds with "baby fat". [redacted] stated he does not know whether [redacted] smokes or not. [redacted] stated [redacted] has [redacted]

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[redacted] name is also unknown. [redacted] stated [redacted] [redacted] advised [redacted] was taking accounting classes in 1971 at Auerswald Business University, 1524 Fifth Avenue, telephone 624-3773.

On 11/25/74, [redacted], Auerswald Business University, 1524 Fifth Avenue, Seattle, Washington, after checking his records advised that [redacted] did not attend school on 11/24/71. [redacted] stated [redacted] did not attend school at all in November 1971, but attended eight days in October 1971.

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On 11/25/74, [redacted] Kirkland, Washington, advised she purchased the home located at [redacted]

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[redacted] stated [redacted] purchased a new home in Bremerton and she believed he had found work in Bremerton and that is the reason [redacted] stated she did not know [redacted] very well and could furnish no further information concerning him.

On 12/3/74, [redacted] Kirkland, Washington, stated she knew the [redacted] [redacted] advised that she did not think [redacted] looked like the artists composite of unsub. [redacted] stated she couldn't remember if [redacted] was home on 11/24/71, but also did not remember any conspicuous absence around Thanksgiving, 1971, for [redacted]

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[redacted] stated [redacted] had commented to her that [redacted] had speculated that D. B. COOPER was dead right after the hijacking occurred. [redacted] stated [redacted] does possess a private pilot's license and advised she does not know whether he parachutes or not. [redacted] stated [redacted] does parachute and possibly might know whether [redacted] parachutes. [redacted] furnished the following address as being the present address [redacted]

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[redacted] Tracyton, Washington [redacted]

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On 12/10/74, [redacted]
Kirkland. Washington, advised that during the time he knew
[redacted] he never mentioned parachute jumping. [redacted]
[redacted] stated [redacted] was poor on geography and had a very
poor sense of direction.

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In view of the above information, no further investi-
gation will be conducted concerning [redacted] at this
time.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 2/19/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: NORJAK

Re: [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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Sister
Brother-in-law
Wife
Miscellaneous

[REDACTED]

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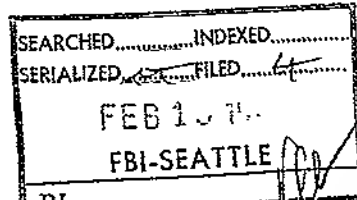
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Date: 2/19/75

Transmit the following in _____
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TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)
 FROM: SAC, DALLAS (164-191)(P)
 SUBJECT: NORJACK

OO-SEATTLE

Re San Francisco airtel to Seattle, dated 2/3/75.

Information contained in referenced airtel was discussed with [redacted] Braniff International Airways, Dallas, Texas, on 2/10/75. [redacted] stated he does not recall [redacted] employed by Braniff [redacted] but is aware of [redacted] [redacted] are employed by Braniff [redacted] He stated records will be checked and FBI notified. He requested further identifying information should same be available.

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On 2/14/75, [redacted] stated he is still checking personnel records concerning this matter and will advise when pertinent information is obtained.

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AT DALLAS/FORT WORTH AIRPORT, TEXAS. Will maintain contact with [redacted] Braniff, for information concerning this matter.

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 2-Dallas

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Approved: _____

Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

SAC, SACRAMENTO (164-50)

2/21/75

SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE:

Re Sacramento letter to Seattle and Las Vegas,
dated 2/3/75.

For the information of Sacramento and Las Vegas
Divisions, is not identical with any of
the previous suspects in this case.

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SAC, SACRAMENTO (164-50)

2/21/75

SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE:

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dated 2/3/75.

For the information of Sacramento and Las Vegas
Divisions, is not identical with any of
the previous suspects in this case.

ARMED & DANGEROUS.

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2 - Sacramento (164-50)
3 - Seattle (164-81)
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

DATE: 2/20/75

FROM : SAC, SALT LAKE CITY (164-24) (RUC)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
(OO: SE)

Re: [REDACTED]

Enclosed for Seattle and Portland Divisions is photocopy of application and resume of [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Provo, Utah, advised on 2/3/75 that he was furnishing the information set forth below on a confidential basis. He stated he considered captioned suspect as being possibly responsible for instant violation. He stated he had known [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Orem, Utah, from [REDACTED]

previously lived at Klamath Falls, Oregon, but later he had lived at Eugene, Oregon. He advised [REDACTED] in instant matter [REDACTED]

was from Oregon, [REDACTED]

of these days. He stated he had no further reasons for suspecting [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Chemetron Corporation, Geneva Road, Orem, Utah, advised on 2/14/75 as follows:

[REDACTED], who was born [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] in Klamath Falls, Oregon, in [REDACTED] was employed [REDACTED] for the above-named company from [REDACTED] when he voluntarily

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2 - Portland (164-41) (Enc. 2) ✓
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resigned to return to his home state of Oregon. [redacted] listed on his application as his last Oregon address [redacted] Eugene, Oregon. His application also shows he was employed by the Public Resources Council, Inc., Eugene, Oregon. [redacted] His records showed [redacted] was described as a white male American, 5' 10", 220 pounds.

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About the middle of January, 1975, [redacted] received an inquiry concerning [redacted] from The Boise Cascade Company, LeGrand, Oregon, indicating that [redacted] He believes he heard that [redacted].

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[redacted] furnished a copy of [redacted] Chemetron Corporation and also a [redacted] at the time he applied for employment with Chemetron Corporation.

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No further investigation regarding [redacted] is being conducted by the Salt Lake City Office unless advised to the contrary by Seattle.

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AT EUGENE, OREGON

Verify employment of [redacted] with Public Resources Council of Oregon, Inc., 1746 Willamette, from [redacted]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: February 27, 1975

FROM :

SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT:

NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: [REDACTED]

On 2/14/75, [REDACTED] Red's Trailer Mart, Inc., 3300 W. 19th, Kennewick, Washington, [REDACTED] advised that approximately two years ago, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] Kennewick, Washington, purchased a [REDACTED] even though he has no visible means of support. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] also drives a new Lincoln Continental, which he believes [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] felt that [REDACTED] physical description somewhat matches that of D.B. COOPER, and that therefore he might be considered as a possible suspect in this matter.

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On 2/14/75, the writer observed a Lincoln Continental bearing Washington State License [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] The license number was run through the Washington State DMV, and revealed that this is a 1970 Lincoln Continental registered [REDACTED] Pasco, Washington. The legal owner is listed as the Seattle First National Bank, 714 Main Street, Vancouver, Washington.

On 2/20/75, records of the Tri-City Credit Bureau, Pasco, Washington, indicate that [REDACTED] and has been employed by them for the [REDACTED] Records also revealed that [REDACTED] and that [REDACTED] has been a resident of Kennewick, Washington, since 1973, and lists his previous address as [REDACTED] Vancouver, Washington. His previous employer was listed as [REDACTED] also of Vancouver, Washington.

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LEADS:

SEATTLE DIVISION

At Olympia, Washington

Will obtain a current photograph of [REDACTED]
from Washington State DMV, for appropriate display to witnesses
in this matter.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (164-220) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

DATE: 2/27/75

RE: [REDACTED]

Reference San Francisco letter to Seattle, dated 2/4/75.

On 2/13/75, [REDACTED] San Mateo, California, advised that [REDACTED] has not resided there [REDACTED] and she has no forwarding address for him.

On 2/13/75, [REDACTED] U. S. Post Office, San Mateo, California, advised she could not locate any forwarding address for [REDACTED]

On 2/13/75, [REDACTED] advised she could find no new listing for [REDACTED] other than the two listed [REDACTED] in the 4/74 San Mateo County Telephone Directory.

Telephone contacts were made to [REDACTED] Redwood City, California, and [REDACTED] Burlingame, California, and both advised [REDACTED] in Spokane, Washington.

Inasmuch as [REDACTED] entered the Spokane, Washington, VAH on [REDACTED] and Subject COOPER only had a few drinks during his flight, San Francisco is conducting no further investigation regarding suspect [REDACTED]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 3/3/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: [REDACTED]

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On 2/21/75, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Fort Townsend, Washington, telephone [REDACTED]
furnished the following information regarding [REDACTED]

He advised that in November of 1971, he
[REDACTED] was involved in the business of exporting
[REDACTED] and had occasion to do business with Washington
King Clam Inc., Route 1, Box 631-A, Poulsbo, Washington,
telephone 779-2775. He advised that [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] advised that he had heard that the
business was in trouble and that Washington King Clam
needed approximately \$200,000 in order to save their
business. He stated that [REDACTED] had [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] He also stated
that the sketch of D.B. COOPER looks like [REDACTED]
and looks like the type of sunglasses [REDACTED] usually
wears. He also felt that [REDACTED] had been in the
Army and believed him to be a parachutest. In addition,

[REDACTED] had told him that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised
that he mentioned [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
time according to [REDACTED] he has never seen or spoken
with [REDACTED] again.

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In conclusion [] advised that he was afraid to turn this information over to the proper authorities because he had discussed []

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to the authorities. [] admits that now he is a little hazy on the exact recollection of various facts and was discussing this information with a friend, Washington State Trooper, []

LEADS:

SEATTLE DIVISION

At Bremerton and Poulsbo, Washington.

Conduct appropriate investigation to determine the validity of above stated facts and attempt to more fully identify [] and ascertain his whereabouts during November of 1971.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : *JLM* SAC, PHOENIX (164-100) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
(OO: SEATTLE)
(BUFILE 164-2111)

DATE: 2/27/75

Re Seattle letter to Phoenix dated 1/21/75; Phoenix
memo of SA [] dated 1/27/75.

The following investigation was conducted by SA []

AT KINGMAN, ARIZONA

On 2/4/75, [] Kingman Police
Department, and [] Mohave County Sheriff's
Office, advised that after checking their respective files
that they could find nothing on file identifiable with []

On 2/11/75, [] was contacted at his
residence, [] Kingman, Arizona, and furnished
the following information:

[] advised that he had written several letters
concerning the location of D.B. COOPER and that his method
of locating COOPER is basically the method of "dowsing".

[] stated []

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[redacted] then produced a booklet entitled "Dowsing for Treasurers and Minerals" by SAM WOLFE, 13451 Ector, La Purta, California. [redacted] advised that this book was his source of information of "dowsing" and how one can go about locating people like D.B. COOPER and the missing \$200,000.00.

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It is to be noted that [redacted] made no mention of "Radiesthesia", use of a "pendulum", or "triangulation".

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It is also noted that [redacted] is an elderly retired white male, who is sincerely motivated but had probably achieved a fair degree of senility and was unable to speak in depth on the subject he professed to be proficient in, namely, "dowsing".

In view of the above, no further investigation is being conducted by the Phoenix Division unless advised to the contrary by Seattle.

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The following investigation was conducted at
Decatur, Alabama, by SA [REDACTED]

On January 26, 1975, a review of the recent
edition of the South Central Bell Telephone Directory
disclosed a listing for D. B. COOPER, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Morgan County, Alabama, telephone number
[REDACTED]

On January 27, 1975, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Decatur, Alabama Credit Bureau, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Decatur, Alabama Police Department and
VAN WARD, Sheriff, Morgan County, Alabama, advised that
a review of the records of their respective departments
failed to reveal any information which could be identi-
fiable with D. B. COOPER.

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Decatur, Alabama, by SA [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] Decatur, Alabama Credit Bureau, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Decatur, Alabama Police Department and
VAN WARD, Sheriff, Morgan County, Alabama, advised that
a review of the records of their respective departments
failed to reveal any information which could be identi-
fiable with D. B. COOPER.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : SAC, BIRMINGHAM (164-35) (RUC)

SUBJECT: NORJAK

DATE: 2/28/75



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*Uncle
D. B. Cooper*

Re San Francisco letter to Birmingham, dated
1/16/75.

Enclosed herewith for Seattle are three copies
of an investigative insert at Decatur, Alabama.

On 2/12/75, [redacted]
Morgan County Sheriff's Office, advised that he resides
in the [redacted] of Morgan County, Ala., and
advised there are several [redacted] residing in
that area. He advised he is acquainted with [redacted]
who works at the Morgan County Shop, Hartselle, Alabama,
and suggested he be contacted.

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On 2/15/75 [redacted]
advised that D. B. COOPER was his uncle, however, D. B.
COOPER passed away approximately two or three years ago.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (164-2111)
FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)
SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
(BUfile 164-2111)

MONTHLY SUMMARY

Re Seattle airtel to Bureau dated 2/7/75.

SUSPECTS

There are currently 755 suspects, 720 of whom have been eliminated. New suspects are being developed and appropriate investigation instituted. No outstanding suspects are under consideration at this time.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (164-2111)
FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)
SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE
(BUfile 164-2111)

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3 - Seattle (164-81)
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 3/7/75

FROM :

SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT:

NORJAK
(BUfile 164-2111)

[REDACTED]

Re memo of SA [REDACTED] dated 1/31/75.

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On 2/27/75, [REDACTED] advised that his records show a [REDACTED] was received at

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] advised that any further background information on [REDACTED] could be obtained through the review of [REDACTED] file at the Federal Records Center, Seattle, Washington. He advised that to obtain the records, the following numbers concerning the location of [REDACTED] file would be needed:

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Date: 3/7/75

Transmit the following in _____
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TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)
 FROM: SAC, SAVANNAH (164-29) (P)
 RE: NORJAK
 OO: SEATTLE

RE _____

Re Seattle airtel to SV 2/12/75 and SV airtel to
 Seattle 1/11/73.

For information of Tampa, _____ previously assigned
 _____ and subsequently
 discharged from military service.

On 2/26/75, _____
 _____ Savannah, Ga.,
 advised that personnel records for _____ contained
 no record identifiable with _____

On 3/5/75, _____
 _____ advised that _____ had departed the Savannah area
 approximately four to five months ago and was presently
 residing in Florida, address unknown. He stated that _____
 was currently classified in _____ and that his
 military records would have been retired to St. Louis. He
 advised _____ had previously resided in the _____
 Savannah, Ga.

On 3/6/75, _____ U. S. Postal
 Inspector, Savannah, Ga., advised that _____ forwarding
 address was listed as _____ Sarasota, Fla. _____

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 Special Agent in Charge

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For the information of Seattle, referenced Savannah airtel to Seattle advised that [] personnel file had been reviewed at [] during 1/73, in attempts to verify his whereabouts during late November, 1971, with negative results.

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AT SARASOTA, FLA.

Will locate and interview []
[] and thereafter interview him concerning his possible involvement in captioned crime and whereabouts during appropriate time period.

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Memorandum

TO : *[Signature]* SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : SAC, PORTLAND (164-41)(P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK

DATE: 3/6/75

Re Seattle letter to Portland, 12/30/74.

Contact with [redacted] Portland Police Bureau (PPB), Portland, Oregon, on 1/21/75, disclosed that one [redacted] Portland, Oregon, [redacted] from Coos County, Oregon, reported [redacted] Medical Arts Building, 1020 S. Taylor Street, believed [redacted] to resemble Unsub.

Contact with [redacted] (protect) determined that her suspect is [redacted]

[redacted] She advised that [redacted] and listed his occupation as [redacted] and his residence at that time as the Eaton Hotel. She described him as 6' tall, 180 pounds, husky build, short brown hair, blue eyes, [redacted] He has been [redacted]

[redacted] Her principal reason for suspecting him is his reluctance to furnish any information about himself such as current residence and employment and because he always pays his bill in cash [redacted] She agreed to notify the Portland Office on the occasion of [redacted] next visit to the clinic.

On 2/28/75, [redacted] advised that [redacted] was presently [redacted] discreet surveillance was established and Agents observed [redacted] leaving the clinic. Two Agents observed him closely and both agreed he does not fit the description of Unsub. It was noted [redacted] has sandy brown wavy hair, blue eyes, ruddy smooth complexion, husky, muscular build. He stands at least 6'2" tall and appears to weigh at least 220 pounds. He appears to be in his early thirties.

In view of the above disparity between description of Unsub and [redacted] no further investigation concerning the latter will be conducted.

2 - Seattle
1 - Portland

RPB:1bn (2)

Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan

DB Cooper 13363



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164-51-6490

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, [REDACTED] (P)

DATE: 3/11/75

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FROM : SC [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

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Sub J

RE: My memo dated 2/6/75 (serial 9).

On 3/10/75, the anonymous caller mentioned in that memo telephonically called this writer again. He advised that his name is [REDACTED] *X*
[REDACTED] Tacoma, Wash., telephone [REDACTED] home *X*
telephone [REDACTED] [REDACTED] had furnished him the infor- *X*
mation in re memo is the [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] would not furnish his name. [REDACTED] further
advised that he wants his name kept completely confidential
in this matter.

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[REDACTED] advised that he has not received any further information to provide this office. His reason for calling was to find out if his information had been substantiated.

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I advised [REDACTED] that as of this date, his information has not been substantiated. I advised him that if he receives any further information on this matter, to feel free to call this writer.

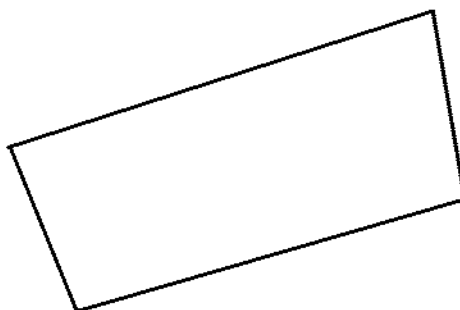
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2 - 164-81 (NORJAK)



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164-81-6491

SEARCHED	INDEXED
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[REDACTED] FILE	

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 3/10/75

FROM : SC [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: NORJAK [REDACTED]

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On 3/5/75, [REDACTED]
Auburn, Wash., telephone [REDACTED] (unlisted), telephonically
advised that he [REDACTED], Auburn,
to [REDACTED] has
been residing there [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] advised that last October, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] stating he was traveling to California. Ever since
he has returned, he has been [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] has been keeping all [REDACTED]
money since that time and has accumulated fifty of these bills,
[REDACTED] All are Federal Reserve Notes,
and he provided the serial numbers for five of them as follows,
all negative NCIC: LL3230506C; G16072263A; G57478297B;
L04617661C; and D43076874A.

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[REDACTED] described [REDACTED] as a WM, age in thirties, 6',
and slender. He advised that [REDACTED] resembles the composite
picture of the UNSUB aka J. B. COOPER, this matter. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] mentioned that he thinks [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] and [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] requests that all of this information
be kept confidential.

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164-81-6491A

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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan

DB Cooper-13365

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P) DATE: 3/14/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: [REDACTED]

On 2/20/75, [REDACTED] Seattle Police Department, Seattle, Washington, telephone [REDACTED] telephonically advised he suspected [REDACTED] of being identical with Unsub in this matter. [REDACTED] stated [REDACTED] is similar in appearance to the artist's composite of Unsub and in addition, [REDACTED] advised [REDACTED] is the type of person that would commit such a crime.

[REDACTED] advised [REDACTED] was born and raised in the Pacific Northwest and attended [REDACTED] [REDACTED] advised [REDACTED] was born sometime in [REDACTED]

LEADS:

SEATTLE DIVISION

At [REDACTED]

Will attempt to determine through school records or year books the true identity of [REDACTED] [REDACTED] and thereafter process him as a suspect in this matter.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

RNN/ecf
(3) [Signature]

164-81-6192

SEARCHED.....	INDEXED.....
SERIALIZED.....	FILED.....
MAR 13 1975	
FBI-SEATTLE	



UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P) DATE: 3/14/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] advised [REDACTED] was born sometime in [REDACTED]

LEADS:

SEATTLE DIVISION

At [REDACTED]

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Will attempt to determine through school records or year books the true identity of [REDACTED] and thereafter process him as a suspect in this matter.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

RNN/ecf

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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan

DB Cooper-13367

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : *SWB*
W SAC, BUTTE (164-26) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: Seattle
BuFile #164-2111

DATE: 3/11/75



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Re Anchorage airtel to Seattle, 11/15/74; and
Seattle letter to Butte, 1/15/75.

In view of the information set out in referenced
Anchorage airtel, it appears unlikely [redacted] could
be involved in this matter.

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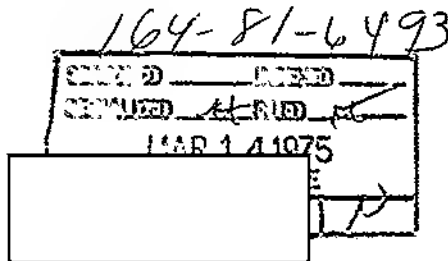
Seattle note lead set out for Butte at Lewiston,
Idaho, in referenced Seattle letter, is not being covered
as [redacted]
[redacted] in Anchorage, Alaska.

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Investigation is continuing at Blackfoot, and Firth,
Idaho.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

② - Seattle
2 - Butte
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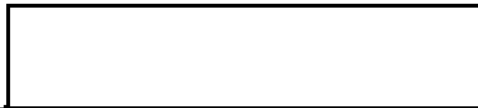
AIRMAIL



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TO : SAC, MEMPHIS (164-78)
FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (164-31) (P)
SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE:



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Enclosed for the Memphis Division are one copy each of letters from [redacted] dated March 3, 1975, and a letter from Seattle Division of the FBI to [redacted] dated March 14, 1975.

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For information purposes only, the two self-explanatory letters enclosed herein are being forwarded to the Memphis Division.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

2 - Memphis (164-78) (Encl. 2)
③ - Seattle (164-31)
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DB Cooper 13369

164-81-6494



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

915 Second Avenue
Seattle, Washington 98174
March 14, 1975

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

[Redacted]

Nashville, Tennessee [Redacted]

Dear [Redacted]

In response to your letter to the Seattle Division of the FBI, dated March 3, 1975, it is the policy of this Bureau not to release information concerning a pending investigation.

The incident to which you refer has been thoroughly investigated, and it has been determined that it is not relevant to the "D.B. Cooper" hi-jacking.

Very truly yours,

Philip T. Basher,
Special Agent in Charge

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DB Cooper-13370

3/14/75

AIRTEL

AIRMAIL

TO : SAC, MEMPHIS (104-73)
FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (104-31) (P)
SUBJECT: MURKIN
OO: SEATTLE

RE: [REDACTED]

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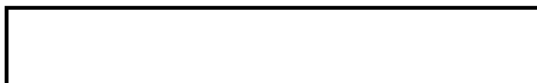
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DB Cooper 133/1

915 Second Avenue
Seattle, Washington 98174
March 14, 1975



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Nashville, Tennessee

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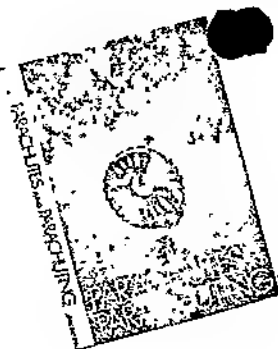
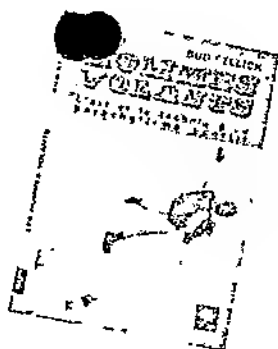
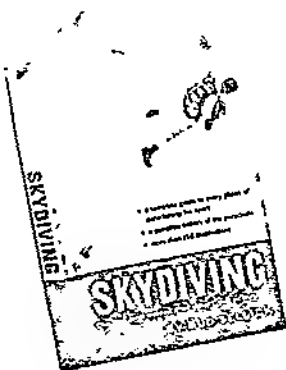
Very truly yours,

Philip T. Barker,
Special Agent in Charge

1 - Addressee
3 - Seattle (164-81)
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DB Cooper 13373

164-81-6495



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NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

March 3, 1975

Special Agent in Charge, FBI
U.S. Department of Justice
Seattle, Washington 98104

Dear Sir:

Recently I read a brief news release in our local paper that indicated [redacted] had been found in the Seattle area which might have been "D.B. Cooper", the skyjacker-parachutist.

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Could you tell me if this is correct? I have been working on a magazine article about "Cooper" and would like any up-to-date information that can be released. I am not writing a "how-to" article, since it is my opinion that he was killed in his attempt (that should discourage any would-be followers).

Your agent in Nashville gave me your address and suggested I write you for possible information on the status of the case. Whatever information can be released to me will be greatly appreciated.

Thanks in advance for your cooperation.

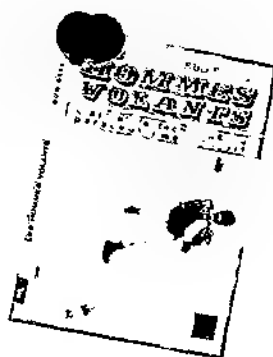
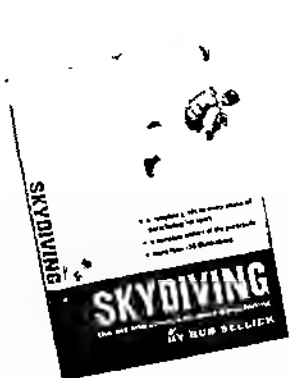
Very sincerely yours



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DB Cooper-13374



[Redacted]
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE [Redacted]

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March 3, 1975

Special Agent in Charge, FBI
U.S. Department of Justice
Seattle, Washington 98104

Dear Sir:

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Very sincerely yours,



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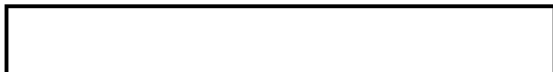
[Signature]

DB Cooper-13375

915 Second Avenue
Seattle, Washington 98174
March 14, 1975



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Nashville, Tennessee



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Very truly yours,

Philip T. Dasher,
Special Agent in Charge

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③ - Seattle (164-81)
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DB Cooper 13376

3/14/75

AIRTEL

AIRMAIL

TO: SAC, KANSAS CITY (164-80)

FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE:

Re Kansas City airtel to Bureau and Seattle, dated 2/11/75.

Enclosed for Kansas City are four (4) photographs of

All NORJAK eyewitnesses have been repeatedly contacted and have viewed numerous photographs. Up to now they have been extremely cooperative, not withstanding the many contacts they have endured both at work and at home. Based on the above, these witnesses will not be contacted to view photographs unless there is no other way to eliminate a suspect.

Accordingly, the following lead is being set forth:

LEAD:

KANSAS CITY DIVISION

At Kansas City, Missouri

Will through contact with appropriate authorities at the Kansas City Star newspaper attempt to determine if

2 - Kansas City (Encl. - 4)

③ - Seattle

RH:cjg

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DB Cooper-13378

164-81-6496

SE 164-81

[] was at work on 11/24/71. (Note: If [] was not employed in November of 1971 for the Star, will attempt through personnel records to determine his employrment at that time and, thereafter, set forth appropriate leads.)

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3/14/75

AIRTEL

AIRMAIL

TO: SAC, KANSAS CITY (164-80)

FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

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③ - Seattle

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DB Cooper-13380

164-81-6496

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM : SAC, DALLAS (164-191) (RUC)

SUBJECT: NORJACK
OO: SEATTLE

DATE: 3/13/75

Re Dallas airtel to Seattle dated 2/19/75, San Francisco airtel to Seattle dated 2/3/75.

Enclosed for Seattle is one copy of photograph of

On 3/7/75, [redacted] Braniff International Airways (BIA), Dallas, Texas, advised a review of personnel records [redacted] at Braniff revealed [redacted] who are presently employed by Braniff [redacted] and who in the past have [redacted] Records show the following information concerning these individuals:

[redacted] white male, born [redacted] 6'1", 180 pounds, blond hair, blue eyes, Social Security No. [redacted] participant in water and snow skiing, golf. First employed by Braniff [redacted] Furloughed on [redacted] due to a reduction in force. Rehired [redacted] He was contacted for rehire at American Honda Motor Company, P.O. Box 50, Gardena, California. Filed for unemployment in Missouri [redacted] When rehired, household goods were moved from Kansas City, Missouri, to his address at [redacted] Dallas, Texas. Photograph in file, copy obtained.

[redacted] white male, born [redacted] 6'3", 195 pounds, brown hair, blue eyes, Social Security Number [redacted] participates in snow and water skiing, tennis, hunting. U.S. Army, [redacted] Furloughed [redacted] due to reduction in force. Rehired [redacted] Address when rehired [redacted] Garland, Texas. Photograph not available.

- ② Seattle (Enc. 1)
1- San Francisco (164-220) (Info)
1- Dallas
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W. J. [signature]



DL 164-191

It does not appear that either of the above individuals fits description of the unknown subject.

[redacted] advised he can locate no other records of [redacted] with information similar to that supplied in referenced San Francisco communication.

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In the event additional investigation is desired, attempts should be made to identify the TWA [redacted] said to have been previously interviewed by the FBI in this matter, for information that would identify the Braniff employees referred to by him.

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SE 164-81
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Re: [REDACTED]

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On January 30, 1975, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Anchorage, Alaska, advised [REDACTED]
was employed as a [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] at which time he resigned. She believed
he was in Kenai or Homer, Alaska. She advised she would
attempt to locate his whereabouts.

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On February 20, 1975, [REDACTED] supra, was recontacted
and had no additional information concerning [REDACTED]

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On March 7, 1975, [REDACTED] supra, located a 1975
forwarding address for [REDACTED] which is [REDACTED]
Kenai, Alaska.

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164-81-6498
[Signature]

F B I

Date: 3/18/75

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: SAC, SEATTLE (164-81)

FROM: SAC, ANCHORAGE (164-59) (P)

SUBJECT: NORJAK
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ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

Re Minneapolis airtel to Seattle dated 12/13/74.

Enclosed for the Seattle Division are the original and four copies and for Minneapolis one copy of an insert relating to unknown subject about whom [] is allegedly knowledgeable.

LEADSMINNEAPOLIS (INFORMATION)

Information copy of this communication furnished Minneapolis in view of their investigative interest.

ANCHORAGEAT KENAI, ALASKA

Will locate and appropriately interview []

② Seattle (Enc. 5) *ew*
1-Minneapolis (164-73) (Enc. 1) (Info)
1-Anchorage
JHF:cfh
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Approved: 9/11/74
Special Agent in Charge

Sent []

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (164-81) (P)

DATE: 3/18/75

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: NORJAK
OO: SEATTLE

RE: SUB B NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS
SUB C PUBLICITY

Enclosed is one copy of an article that appeared recently in the Seattle PI. It is written by [REDACTED] and it is concerning captioned matter.

[REDACTED] in his article, refers to [REDACTED] who has written a novel entitled "The Ballad of D. B. Sky-jacker". [REDACTED] advised [REDACTED] has spent three years writing this book.

This book should be reviewed in order to determine the amount and extent of information that would be available to an individual who might claim to be identical with Unsub in this matter in order to gain financial reward as well as publicity.

ARMED & DANGEROUS

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